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PART II. 1841—1893.

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A Century of Municipal History.

The Development of Municipal Institutions, 1841-93.

A very important municipal act was passed in 1841. By it, District Councils were established in Upper Canada "capable in law of suing and being sued, and of purchasing and holding lands and tenements situate within the limits of such District, for the use of the said inhabitants and of making and entering into such contracts and agreements as may be necessary for the exercise of their corporate functions." These councils were authorized to "make by-laws" for making, maintaining, or improving existing roads or streets or stopping up, altering, or diverting them; for erecting, preserving and repairing bridges and public buildings; for purchasing and selling real property; for superintending and managing the property of the District; for defraying the expenses of the administration of justice; for the establishment and support of schools; for raising money for District purposes; for collecting and accounting for such moneys; for imposing penalties on persons elected and refusing to serve in municipal offices; for remunerating District and township officers, and for commuting statute labor. The Warden and Treasurer were appointed by the Governor, and the Clerk selected by him from among three persons nominated by the Council. Every township entitled to elect municipal officers was authorized to elect one Councillor, and each township having more than 300 inhabitant freeholders and householders, two Councillors, who were to be chosen on the first Monday in January, 1842, by the inhabitant freeholders and householders of such townships. No person was eligible for election unless he was a resident of the township for which he was elected, and the owner of real estate to the value of £300 over and

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above all charges or encumbrances. One-third of the Councillors, to be determined by lot, were to retire each year, so that at the end of three years none of the Councillors elected at the first election should remain in office unless subsequently re-elected. It was provided that there should be four quarterly meetings of these Councils, beginning on the second Tuesday in February, May, August, and November, and not lasting more than six days each, besides which "extraordinary meetings" might be authorized by the Governor. One Auditor was to be appointed by the Warden, another by the Council. A District Surveyor was to be appointed by the Warden, subject to the approbation of the Governor, who was to superintend the execution of all public works undertaken by the Council, and take care of all "fixed property belonging to such District." All property was to be rated equally, except wild land, which could not be taxed more than a penny and a half per acre annually. Any by-law passed by the Council might be disallowed by the Governor within 30 days after a copy was received by the Secretary of the Province, to whom the Warden was obliged to transmit it immediately after passing it.

No Councillor was permitted to receive any wages, allowance, profit, or emolument whatever for his services.

The Municipal Act of 1841 was comprised in seventy-three sections, covering twenty pages of the Statute Book.

The District of Niagara as then constituted consisted of the twenty-two townships subsequently composing the Counties of Lincoln, Welland and Haldimand, having an area of 663,184½ acres. Bertie, Stamford, Pelham, and Thorold were found to be entitled to elect two members each, and the remaining townships of Welland one member, of the District Council. David Thorburn of Stamford was appointed Warden.

In 1846, an act of twenty-two sections was passed amending the Municipal Act of 1841. District Councillors were henceforth authorized to receive a daily stipend not exceeding six shillings and three pence for each day they actually sat in Council. They were

enabled to elect a Warden from among themselves and appoint a Treasurer, who was to retain office for three years, and appoint or remove the Clerk. Only two ordinary meetings in February and October, limited to nine days each, were to be held annually. They were authorized to raise money for the relief of the indigent, sick, or infirm. It was no longer made compulsory to employ the District Surveyor on works costing less than £50.

By the act of 1849, Municipal government was established practically in its existing form, but the powers of municipalities have from time to time been materially enlarged.

The Niagara District Council.

It is doubtful whether the original minutes of the Niagara District Council are now extant. During the last three years of its existence, however, these were printed, and some copies have thus been preserved. Judged by this record of its proceedings, it appears to have been a painstaking and hardworking body. The members assembled at 9 a. m., adjourned at 1 p. m.; met again at 3 p. m., adjourned at 6 p. m.; resumed at 7 p. m., and frequently sat until midnight and sometimes later. Their attention was engrossed by an ever-growing volume of petitions from all parts of the District, mostly referring to matters which would now be disposed of by the local township council. In 1847, 62 petitions were presented at the first meeting, and 59 at the second; in 1848 the number increased to 111 at the first session, and 85 at the second; in 1849 there were no less than 130 at the first session, and 54 at the second.

David Thorburn, appointed Warden by the Governor in 1842, acted under this commission until the end of 1846, when the office became elective. He was returned as one of the members for Stamford in January, 1847, and unanimously elected as Warden on the 2nd of February, when an address and a silver box was presented to him by the members of the Council. He was re-elected in

1848, and again in 1849. John G. Stevenson was appointed Clerk in 1847, succeeding John Simpson, and D. D'Everardo of Pelham became Superintendent of Education in August, 1846, when he was one of the members for that township.

1847.

Appropriation for public schools in County of Welland, £893. Number of public schools in the Niagara District, 183. Number of pupils, 8,948. Average attendance in summer term, 4,075; in winter term, 4,519. Whole number of children of school age resident in district, 12,963.

Private schools—One at Stamford Village, two at Drummondville, a "classical school" at the City of the Falls, and a German school in Humberstone, "principally supported by some Prussian settlers."

Feb. 10.—By-law passed to authorize "construction of a magnetic telegraph between the towns of Niagara and Queenston," on the public highway.

In October, Humberstone was declared entitled to a second member.

1848.

By-law to raise £325, by local assessment, in Township of Pelham for construction of a town hall.

By-law to provide for commutation of statute labor and repairs of public streets in the Village of Waterloo [Fort Erie], in the Township of Bertie.

By-law to enable inhabitants of Port Colborne to elect their pathmaster.

By-law for commuting statute labor in Village of Fonthill.

By-law to authorize inhabitants of Drummondville to appoint their pathmaster.

By-law fixing remuneration of township officers: Salary of the Clerks in all the townships of Welland fixed at £4 per annum. In Bertie, salary of Assessor fixed at £7, 15; of Collector, £10. Crowland, Assessor, £5; Collector, £7. Humberstone, Assessor, £7, 5;

Collector, £9. Pelham, Assessor, £7, 10; Collector, £10. Stamford, Assessor, £10; Collector, £12, 10. Thorold, Assessor, £10, 5; Collector, £13, 10; Wainfleet, Assessor, £6, 5; Collector, £8. Willoughby, Assessor, £6; Collector, £7.

Appropriation for Public Schools in Welland, £903.

Number of Public Schools, 184. Number of pupils, 10,328. Average attendance, summer term, 4,281; in winter term, 4,516. Number of resident children, 13,172. Private Schools—one in Vilvage of Thorold; three in Drummondville; three in Chippawa; one German school in School Section No. 4, Humberstone.

1849.

The Council noticed the annexation movement of that period in the following manner on the 6th November:

"Moved by Mr. McMicken, seconded by Mr. Hagar, and ordered, that the Council resolve itself into Committee of the whole to consider the expediency of giving an expression in reference to the recent advocacy of annexation by certain parties within the Province, pursuant to notice.

"Moved in amendment by Mr. Foley, seconded by Mr. Gilleland, and resolved, That the Council do not now resolve itself into a committee of the whole, but that all after the word 'that' in the first line be expunged, and the following inserted:

"That this Council view with mingled feelings of disapprobation and regret the movement now being made in Montreal for the separation of Canada from the parent state; and that they are prepared and determined by all means in their power, to suppress any attempt at such separation, no matter from what source the same may originate."

Estimate of expenditure for 1849:

	£	s.	d.
Insane destitute	230	0	0
Assessors	136	5	0
Collectors	181	10	0
Town Clerks	78	10	0
Making up Assessment Rolls	140	0	0
Allowance for Stationery to Clerk of Peace	5	0	0

	£	s.	d.
Wolf Scalps	5	0	0
Allowance to Members of Council, about	200	0	0
Rent of Public Offices and use of Town Hall	50	0	0
Same charge for last year	50	0	0
Postages for Council and Common Schools	46	17	3
Messenger	9	0	0
Light and fuel for Council Chamber	11	17	1
Clerk of the Council (salary and office rent)	110	0	0
District Surveyor	86	0	0
Superintendent of Common Schools	125	0	0
Constable's fees on account of road work	12	10	0
Auditors	30	0	0
Printing, stationery and advertising (schools)	150	0	0
Contingencies	65	0	0
Treasurer's percentage	150	0	0
Lunatic Asylum	300	0	0
Printing Journals	60	0	0
Appropriation, roads and bridges	700	0	0

Making a total of £2932, 9*s*, 4*d*.

Feb. 9—Petition to Legislature recommending purchase of land and construction of buildings in each district, for relief of indigent persons.

Feb. 12—Petition for formation of Boards of Health to guard against cholera.

Feb. 9—Petition to defer passing the Municipal act because the changes proposed were of such a sweeping character.

Feb. 15—By-law to raise a sum of money for the purpose of providing a stove and furnishing a well for the Town Hall in Pelham, £22.

District Councillors.

The following list of District Councillors is necessarily incomplete from the loss of some of the records :

BERTIE.

1842—Edmund Riselay, Esq., and Lt. Col. Wm. Powell ; 1843—

Benjamin Troup; 1844—Lewis Palmer; 1847—Richard Graham and Asa Schooley.

CROWLAND.

1842-4-5-6-7—Solomon Doan; 1843—Jacob Brookfield; 1848-9—Leonard M. Matthews.

HUMBERSTONE.

1847—Owen Fares; 1848-9—Owen Fares and Jonathan Steele.

PELHAM.

1847-8—D. D'Everardo and John Scholfield; 1849—John Frazer, M. D., and John Scholfield.

STAMFORD.

1847-9—David Thorburn and Archibald Thompson.

THOROLD.

1842-4—Robert Hobson and Duncan McFarland; 1845-7—George Keefer and Duncan McFarland; 1848—Wm. B. Hendershot and Duncan McFarland; 1849—Wm. B. Hendershot and Dilly Coleman.

WAINFLEET.

1842-5—Leonard Misener; 1846-8—Hiram Willson; 1849—John Graybiel and S. S. Hagar.

WILLOUGHBY.

1842-6—James Cummings; 1847-9—John Dobbie.

THE COUNCIL OF THE UNITED COUNTIES OF LINCOLN, HALDIMAND AND WELLAND.

1850.

Warden, Bernard Foley, Reeve of Grantham.

1851.

Warden, Gilbert McMicken, Reeve of Niagara township.

THE COUNCIL OF THE UNITED COUNTIES OF LINCOLN AND WELLAND.

1852.

Warden, John C. Ball, Reeve of Niagara.

Jan. 28.—Address to the Governor in opposition to the proposed

separation of the counties, and to fix a central site for the county town, the Reeves of Bertie, Crowland, Pelham, Thorold township, and Wainfleet voting nay.

Bounty paid for seven wolf scalps.

1853.

Warden, Wm. McMicking, Reeve of Stamford.

18th Jan.—By-law to authorize the borrowing of £12,000 from the Municipal Loan Fund for the construction of the Queenston and Grimsby macadamized road submitted to the electors, and carried by 12 votes to 9, all the municipalities of the County of Welland voting nay except Thorold village.

1854.

Warden, Elias S. Adams, Reeve of St. Catharines.

A Provisional Council formed for the County of Welland.

The Marsh Lands purchased and contract let for the construction of County Buildings at Merrittsville.

Bounty paid for seventeen wolf scalps.

1855.

Warden, John Simpson, Reeve of Niagara.

Jan. 24.—Memorial to Legislature for the appointment of Crown Prosecutors; also for prohibition of sale and manufacture of intoxicating liquors.

May 16—£1000 voted to the Patriotic Fund.

Memorial to the Legislature to permanently unite the counties of Lincoln and Welland. The Reeves of Bertie, Crowland, Humberstone, and Deputy Reeve of St. Catharines voting nay; the Reeves of Stamford and Thorold township, and village of Thorold voting with the majority. The memorial recited that in the preceding year a majority of the Reeves from Welland had been in favor of separation, and had entered into a contract to erect County Buildings at Merrittsville, and prayed that the counties should be united until two-thirds of the Council of the united counties should pass a by-law for separation, and that in such case the village of Thorold should be the county seat.

1856.

Warden, George Rykert, Reeve of St. Catharines.

30th Jan.—Memorial to Legislature to impose the same duties on American manufactures entering Canada as were collected upon Canadian manufactures of the same description when imported into the United States.

30th Jan.—Memorial praying for the passage of an act to enable counties to establish Industrial Farms and Houses of Refuge.

30th Jan.—Memorial praying the Legislature to facilitate the separation of the counties of Lincoln and Welland—only the Reeves of Niagara town and township and the township of Louth voting nay.

Proclamation issued for the separation of the Counties.

Provisional Council of the County of Welland.

The first Provisional Council for the County of Welland was organized in 1850, and continued to hold sessions from time to time and to transact business, until 1854, when it was formally reorganized by proclamation, but it did not levy assessments or provide means, except about £25 in 1850 for the payment of members or officers, and these expenses were subsequently charged upon the Marsh Lands Fund. Unfortunately the minutes of this council are not obtainable at the present time.

ABSTRACT OF THE JOURNALS OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF THE COUNTY OF WELLAND:

1856.

Warden, John Frazer, M. D., Reeve of Pelham.

1st Dec.—By-law to erect village of Merrittsville into a Police village.

30th Dec.—By-law to establish Grammar schools at Merrittsville, Fonthill, and Drummondville. Contracts let to rebuild Beckett's Bridge, £200; Merrittsville Bridge, £160, and to build a bridge at

Montrose, £609, and a grant of £1000 made in aid of the Chippawa Bridge, recently rebuilt by that village at a cost of £1500.

12th Jan., 1857.—By-law to establish a Grammar school in the village of Thorold. Expenditure on County Buildings during the year, £6350, 5s, 10d.

1857.

Warden, James Cummings, Reeve of Chippawa.

3rd March.—Memorial praying for repeal of the Separate School Act.

3rd March.—Memorial praying for the abolition of tolls on the Welland Canal between Merrittsville and Port Robinson, on vessels ascending and descending the Welland River.

5th May.—Memorial for better observance of the Sabbath in respect to the administration of the Post Office and Canals.

20th May.—Report of Committee on Marsh Lands, giving the history of the purchase. The tract, containing 2,116 acres in Humberstone, and 10,796 acres in Wainfleet—in all 12,912 acres, was bought on the 10th Feb'y, 1854, for $1 per acre, being £3,228 for the whole, to be paid in ten annual instalments, of which only one had been paid. As a condition of the sale the county was required to construct a main drain, commencing at or near the Lyon's Creek culvert, and extending westward to the western limit of the tract, to be not less than four feet in depth and five in width at the bottom, and to be begun on or before the 1st of June, 1854, and finished on or before the 1st November, 1855. The contract for this drain was actually let on the 30th Dec., 1854, and a contract made at the same time for a road along its margin. Finding that the drainage was obstructed by the mill-dam at Cook's Mills, the dam and mill privilege was purchased for £687, 10s. and the dam removed. In 1855, the back ditch was deepened at a cost of £205, and £335, 8s, 2d spent on the Marshville Tap Drain.

On the 4th of January, 1855, sixty-eight lots at Port Colborne were sold for £1494, 10s, and on the 13th of same month 3,365 acres in Humberstone and Wainfleet were sold for £6,334, 8s, 1½d.

Expenditure to date :

	£	s.	d.
On main drain	3,452	13	4
On back ditch	205	0	0
Marshville tap	335	8	2
Cook's mill purchase	804	10	0
Engineer's department	454	11	10½
	£5,252	3	4½
Sales up to date	£7,822	18	1½
Paid thereon	2,653	7	1

The Marsh Lands Fund had been charged with the expenses of the Provisional Council, 1850-4, being £348, 18s.

21st May.—Memorial to Governor-General praying remission of payments still due on Marsh Lands purchase, being nine-tenths of the purchase money.

28th Oct.—The Port Robinson bridge purchased from the Thorold and Port Robinson Road Company for $902.15.

Expenditure :

	£	s.	d.
County buildings	1,345	6	7
Bridges	1,725	10	9
Marsh lands	2,364	4	3

Receipts :—

Marsh lands	£1,003	15	6

Fort Erie incorporated.

1858.

Warden, James Cummings, Reeve of Chippawa.

25th Jan.—Standing Committees appointed—limited to an expenditure of £20 without consulting the Council.

26th Jan.—Memorial to Legislature of New York to amend the act authorizing construction of an International Bridge at Buffalo.

7th April.—Memorial respecting a new trial of the prisoner supposed to be the murderer Townsend.

8th April.—Memorial for the protection of the bridges on the Welland River, threatened with destruction as obstructing the navigation.

8th April.—Memorial for adoption of an uniform standard of weights and measures.

9th April.—Memorial for amendments in Municipal Bill.

1st Nov.—Tice's bridge rebuilt—cost to county, $200. Expenditure on bridges, $2,836.00; on Marsh lands, $3,419.66. Receipts from Marsh lands, $1,762.55.

Village of Welland incorporated.

1859.

Warden, James Cummings, Reeve of Chippawa.

26th Jan.—Memorial for repeal of Registration of Debentures Act.

12th May.—Grant of $1,500 made to Township of Crowland, to aid inhabitants to purchase seed grain, to be repaid by township in three years.

30th Aug.—Warden stated that Township of Crowland had failed to take advantage of the loan. Expenditure on Marsh lands, $2,029.20. Receipts from Marsh lands, $1,610.22.

1860.

Warden, James Cummings, Reeve of Chippawa.

Address of congratulation to Prince of Wales on his visit to the county.

21st Dec.—By-law to extend the time for completion of the Thorold and Beaver Dams macadamized road.

28th Dec.—Memorial for remission of remainder of purchase money of Marsh lands. Expenditure on Marsh lands, $579.99. Receipts from Marsh lands, $1,169.96.

1861.

Warden, James Cummings, Reeve of Chippawa.

4th June.—By-law for payment of members $1.50 a day. Hitherto they had received $1.25 under a by-law of the Provisional Council.

7th Oct.—By-law to declare certain bridges over the Welland river public bridges, viz.:—The Port Robinson, Welland, Brown's, O'Reilly's, Beckett's, Jones's, Wellandport and Tice's.

8th Oct.—By-law for the improvement of the Marsh lands.

19th Dec.—Memorial protesting against the assumption by the Province of the debts of any local municipality.

19th Dec.—Memorial praying for the construction of a culvert under the Feeder.

19th Dec.—Memorial praying for the remission of the remainder of the purchase money of the Marsh lands.

18th Dec.—Memorial protesting against the exclusive use of steam tugs for towing on the Welland canal. Expenditure on Marsh lands, $288.38. Receipts from Marsh lands, $2,060.06. Expenditure on bridges, $521.72.

1862.

Warden, Robert Coulter, Reeve of Thorold township.

4th March.—Contract let for rebuilding O'Reilly's bridge for $685.

7th June.—By-law relating to the Public Morals. House built for bridge tender at Montrose, $88. Report on county indebtedness :

Amount due or overdue	$ 25,717 38
Coming due, 1863-74	76,280 00
	$101,997 38
Amount due county from Marsh lands, 1st Aug., 1862.	15,287 24

7th June.—Memorial praying for remission of remainder of purchase money on Marsh lands.

7th June.—Memorial praying for construction of culvert under Feeder.

7th June.—Memorial praying for the sale of the "Dorchester Glebes," 600 acres in Humberstone.

18th Dec.—By-law to define duties of the bridge tender at Montrose.

18th Dec.—Memorial praying for removal of obstructions in the cut at Port Robinson.

1863.

Warden, Robert Coulter, Reeve of Thorold township.

22nd Jan.—By-law appointing L. D. Raymond County Solicitor.

22nd Jan.—By-law appointing J. W. Schooley Gaol Surgeon.

23rd Jan.—By-law repealing mileage by-law. Expenditure on bridges, $1.52 ; expenditure on Marsh lands, $529.55. Receipts from Marsh lands, $1,661.66.

1864.

Warden, Robert Coulter, Reeve of Thorold township.

27th Jan.—Memorial praying for removal of Registry office from Fonthill to Welland.

11th June.—By-law defining duties of Inspector of Weights and Measures.

1865.

Warden, Edward Lee, Reeve of Wainfleet.

25th Jan.—Resolution dismissing Treasurer in June.

26th Jan.—Resolution to pay the Government $2,000 on Marsh lands.

26th Jan.—By-law granting $75 to improve road between Wainfleet and Moulton.

21st Dec.—Resolution to pay Government $3,000 on Marsh lands.

20th Dec.—By-law granting $100 to improve road between Wainfleet and Moulton.

21st Dec.—Report on Marsh lands—Daly ditch and Back ditch finished.

20th Dec.—Memorial on Usury laws.

1866.

Warden, Edward Lee, Reeve of Wainfleet.

20th Dec.—Wellandport bridge rebuilt.

21st Dec.—Memorial praying for Medals to Volunteers. Receipts from Marsh lands for the year, $6,750.32.

1867.

Warden, Edward Lee, Reeve of Wainfleet.

24th Jan.—Resolution for a special committee to report on purchase of an Industrial farm.

24th Jan.—Resolution to repair north wing of the gaol.

24th Jan.—By-law to pay members $2 per day.

24th Jan.—By-law granting $200 towards construction of each drill shed in county.

24th Jan.—Memorial on Usury laws.

June—Report on Industrial farm.

20th Dec.—Resolution accepting tender for rebuilding north wing of gaol for $13,786.

20th Dec.—By-law authorizing rebuilding north wing of gaol.

21st Dec.—By-law to repeal that part of by-law 98 declaring Welland bridge a public bridge.

22nd Dec.—By-law granting $400 to repair Chippawa bridge.

19th Dec.—Report on cleaning ditches in Marsh lands—cost, $1,834.24.

20th Dec.—Report condemning Brown's bridge.

20th Dec.—Memorial praying for a grant to a Dry dock at Welland.

20th Dec.—Memorial praying Government to deepen back ditches. Expenditure on bridges, $986.52; on Marsh lands, $814.81. Receipts from Marsh lands, $3,156.91.

1868.

Warden, David Killins, Reeve of Thorold Township.

29th Jan.—F. Holmes appointed County Engineer.

29th Jan.—Resolution to defer rebuilding north wing of gaol.

31st Jan.—By-law granting $100 to the distressed fishermen of Nova Scotia.

8th April.—Resolution respecting the sale of 2,650 acres of peat lands to Edgar & Kent.

3rd June.—Report of committee of the whole that Brown's bridge be demolished.

4th June.—By-law for demolition of Brown's bridge.

6th June.—By-law fixing date for County Treasurer to pay non-resident taxes to local municipalities—(1st June in each year.)

6th June.—By-law respecting hawkers and peddlers.

6th June.—By-law to authorize the construction of the Junction Tap drain.

2nd June.—Report—Tice's bridge repaired—cost, $220.

19th Aug.—Address to Mayor and Council of Hamilton, on their visit to the peat beds.

17th Dec.—Report—O'Reilly's bridge damaged by Hoover's scow.

18th Dec.—Report—O'Reilly's bridge damaged by Minnis's scow.

18th Dec.—Report—Contract for Junction Tap drain.

18th Dec.—Memorial for amendment of Assessment Act *in re* Niagara Falls Suspension Bridge and Welland Ry. Co., praying for right of appeal from decision of the County Judge.

Expenditure, roads and bridges, $983.12 ; gaol repairs, $344.02 ; Marsh lands, $3,911.53.

Receipts, Marsh lands, $1,709.35.

1869.

Warden, John C. Kirkpatrick, Reeve of Chippawa.

28th Jan.—Resolution to collect arrears on Marsh lands, estimated at $39,000.

30th Jan.—By-law to authorize payment of members while serving on committees of Council.

25th Jan.—Inventory of articles in gaol.

15th June.—By-law respecting hawkers and peddlers.

15th June.—By-law respecting auctioneers.

18th June.—By-law incorporating Village of Port Colborne.

19th June.—By-law for appointment of overseer of drains.

19th June.—Report on re-building of O'Reilly's bridge ; contract let for $850. Repairs on Port Robinson bridge $125, and on Montrose bridge $110.

19th June.—Report on deepening Back ditch for $1,000, and cleaning out others.

24th Dec.—Resolution granting $490.55 in aid of 44th Batt.

20th July.—Decision of County Judge on equalization appeal. (Printed in December minutes.)

30th Aug.—Opinion of R. A. Harrison on the Judge's decision.

22nd Dec.—Memorial that the right of appeal to County Judge from equalization of County Councils be abolished.

23rd Dec.—Memorial praying for right of appeal from County Judge's decisions in Court of Revision when the value of the property exceeds $10,000.

23rd Dec.—Return of amounts due county from sales of Marsh lands, being $54,261.47.

24th Dec.—Return of payments made to members for services on committees 1865-9, being $1,035.55.

Expenditure, on bridges, $1,204.06 ; on Marsh lands, $4,570.84.

Receipts, Marsh lands, $1,813.70.

1870.

Warden, Dr. Matthew F. Haney, Reeve of Humberstone.

26th Jan.—Resolution granting $50 for the education of two blind boys.

29th Jan.—Resolution to rebuild north wing of the gaol.

27th Jan.—By-law for payment of members of the Board of Audit.

29th Jan.—By-law relating to auctioneers.

29th Jan.—By-law respecting hawkers and pedlers.

27th Jan. — Report recommending refund of sums paid for damages on town line by local municipalities.

29th Jan.—Memorial praying for imposition of duties on wheat, grain of all kinds, hops, coal, salt, fruit trees, wood, and timber of every variety imported from the United States.

24th Jan.—Opinion of R. A. Harrison respecting hawkers and pedlers.

14th Jan.—Opinion of R. A. Harrison on liability of the county for damages arising from accidents on town lines.

7th Jan.—Opinion of Miller & Miller on the same point.

7th June.—Resolution that in future the county shall maintain all necessary bridges on town lines.

8th June.—By-law to purchase south-east part of lot 28, in the 7th concession of Crowland, to facilitate drainage of Marsh lands.

9th June.—By-law to rebuild north wing of the gaol.

10th June.—By-law appointing John Latshaw County Architect.

10th June.—By-law to confirm contract for the erection of Jones's bridge.

10th June —By-law to authorize sale of south-east part of lot 28, in the 7th concession of Crowland.

11th June.—By-law to sell a lot at a reduced price for a lock-up in Port Colborne.

9th June.—Report—Contract let for rebuilding Jones's bridge for $750.

7th June.—Report—Contract let for rebuilding north wing of the gaol for $7,750.

23rd Dec.—By-law appointing Enoch Shrigley Inspector of Weights and Measures.

23rd Dec.—Memorial praying that property belonging to religious bodies and the income of Government officials should be made liable to taxation.

Expenditure — Bridges, $885.85 ; gaol repairs, $5,296.59 ; Marsh lands, $1,763.67.

Receipts—Marsh lands, $1,760.97.

1871.

Warden, Joseph Garner, Reeve of Pelham.

26th Jan.—Resolution granting $400 to the 44th Batt.

29th June.—By-law appointing James H. Ball Inspector of Schools.

29th June.—By-law to provide remuneration for the County School Inspector.

30th June.—By-law to amend act respecting public morals.

27th June.—Report—Contract let for protecting Wellandport bridge for $450.

28th June.—Memorial praying for protection of banks of Niagara river.

20th Dec.—Resolution dividing county into High School Districts.

21st Dec.—Resolutions amending report of Committee on Education respecting High School Districts.

22nd Dec.—Resolution to defer the matter.

23rd Dec.—Report on Registrar's accounts—$4,114.31 overdrawn by him.

Expenditure—On bridges, $1,073.95 ; on gaol repairs, $5451.93 ; on Marsh lands, $271.88.

Receipts from Marsh lands, $2,056.89.

1872.

Warden, Joseph Garner, Reeve of Pelham.

25th Jan.—Resolution granting $100 in aid of 44th Battalion.

26th Jan.—By-law to appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a site for a gunshed and magazine at Port Robinson.

26th Jan.—Statement of Marsh lands sales ; amount due county $57,945.88.

4th June—Committee appointed to enquire into cost of building a poor house.

4th June—Report—Contract let for rebuilding Montrose bridge for $2,200.

5th June—By-law amending by-law respecting the public morals.

5th June—By-law to authorize an agreement with the Anglo-American Peat Co.

5th June—Memorial praying for a refund on rebuilding north wing of the gaol.

6th June—Memorial praying for rebate on Marsh lands purchase.

18th Dec.—Resolution to furnish copy of Minutes to the printer within twenty days after adjournment of the council.

18th Dec.—Report—Registrar has been overpaid $3,888.46.

18th Dec.—Report on poor house.

19th Dec.—Memorial respecting gaol repairs.

Expenditure—On bridges, $2,265.31 ; on gaol repairs, $963.60 ; on insane destitute, $1,132.00 ; on Marsh lands, $430.78.

Receipts—Marsh lands, $2,742.15.

1873.

Warden, Wm. Mellanby, Reeve of Humberstone.

30th Jan.—Resolution granting $500 in aid of 44th Battalion.

29th Jan.—Memorial praying for aid to counties in making gaol repairs.

6th June—By-law appointing Jos. C. Page Clerk.

6th June.—Report — Contract let for rebuilding Black Creek bridge on town line for $699.

6th June.—Report on Marsh lands acccount.

17th Dec.—Memorial on Marsh lands drainage.

18th Dec.—Memorial praying for protection of Niagara River banks.

Expenditure—On bridges, $2,030.04 ; on gaol repairs, $817.70 ; on insane destitute, $1,114.75 ; on Marsh lands, $679.24.

Receipts—Marsh lands, $4,206.17.

1874.

Warden, Charles Treble, Reeve of Fort Erie.

4th Feb.—Resolution granting $150 in aid of Chippawa bridge.

4th Feb.—Report as to powers of road and bridge committee.

27th Jan.—Report on law library.

1st June.—Resolution that the County School Inspector be required to make an annual report.

6th June.—By-law appropriating $1,600 for the construction of a road from Welland to Port Colborne, on the west side of the canal.

4th June.—Report—Contract let for re-building Beckett's bridge, $1,000.

1st June.—Account showing amount still due the Government on Marsh lands, being $22,714.39.

24th Dec.—Report—Repairs to Port Robinson bridge, $466.05.

18th Dec.—Report on Marsh lands sales : Amount of sales,

$102,009.29 ; total, with accrued interest, $138,824.46 ; receipts in cash, $64,023.53 ; amount still due, $74,800.96. Expended on Marsh lands, $62,156.23 ; on drainage, $48,783.60 ; for other purposes, $13,372.63.

Expenditure—On bridges, $3,672.51 ; on gaol repairs, $15.25 ; on insane destitute, $1,222.00 ; on Marsh lands, $4,867.08.

Receipts from Marsh lands, $2,212.24.

1875.

Warden, Edward Lee, Reeve of Wainfleet.

— June.—Report of damages to Montrose bridge by a vessel.

14th June.—Report of a special committee on a poor house.

24th Dec.—By-law respecting Marsh lands sales.

Expenditure—On bridges, $692.71 ; on gaol repairs, $1,017.43 ; on insane destitute, $1,268.25 ; on Marsh lands, $4,540.65.

Receipts from Marsh lands, $2,696.11.

1876.

Warden, Wm. Mellanby, Reeve of Humberstone.

— Jan.—Memorial respecting license fees.

— Jan.—Memorial respecting canal bridge at Humberstone.

24th June.—By-law fixing constables' fees.

15th Dec.—Memorial respecting Medical Act.

15th Dec.—Memorial praying for the total abolition of exemptions from taxation.

Expenditure—On bridges, $230.38 ; on gaol repairs, $202.52 ; on insane destitute, $1,613.75 ; on Marsh lands, $132.27.

Receipts from Marsh lands, $2,979.70.

1877.

Warden, Wm. Mellanby, Reeve of Humberstone.

26th Jan.—By-law for appointment of caretaker of county lands.

26th Jan.—Report as to powers of road and bridge committee.

19th Dec.—Report—Contract let for Daly ditch, $2,500.

19th Dec.—Memorial praying for the enlargement of culverts under the canal and feeder.

19th Dec.—Memorial respecting county bridges.

Expenditure—On bridges, $611.38 ; on gaol repairs, $780.31 ; on insane destitute, $1,946.50 ; on Marsh lands, $551.19.

Receipts from Marsh lands, $3,277.14.

1878.

Warden, Wm. Buchner, Reeve of Crowland.

24th Jan.—By-law appointing valuators for county lands.

25th Jan.—By-law respecting constables' fees.

Memorial respecting drainage and distribution of the surplus.

7th June.—Memorial respecting culverts under the feeder.

19th June.—By-law respecting hawkers and peddlers.

Expenditure—On bridges, $819.86 ; on gaol repairs, $294.75 ; on insane destitute, $1,750.00 ; on Marsh lands, $8,660.83.

Receipts from Marsh lands, $865.70.

1879.

Warden, Edwin Hershey, Reeve of Bertie.

31st Jan.—By-law appointing valuators of county lands.

31st Jan.—Memorial respecting location of bridge at Welland over canal.

30th Jan.—Memorial respecting Cooper's mill.

10th June.—By-law repealing act declaring the Welland bridge to be a public bridge.

17th Dec.—Report—Big Creek bridge rebuilt for $87. Contract let for rebuilding O'Reilly's bridge for $897.81.

17th Dec.—Report—Daly ditch contract—contractor over-paid $145.40.

18th Dec.—Report—Cost of Marsh lands, $13,323.37 ; cost of drainage, $54,067.00 ; cost of management, &c., $12,063.00 ; amount of sales, $92,000.00 ; outstanding, $20,000.00.

Expenditure—On bridges, $2,006.98 ; on gaol repairs, $191.12 ; on insane destitute, $2,089.50 ; on Marsh lands, $1,526.88.

Receipts from Marsh lands, $5,399.18.

1880.

Warden, George J. Duncan, Reeve of Stamford.

28th Jan.—Memorial praying for enlargement of back ditches and culverts under feeder.

29th Jan.—Memorial praying for abolition of market fees.

31st Jan.—Memorial praying for passage of a special Tramp Act.

22nd April.—Resolution for purchase of a lot for registry office for $1,500.

22nd April.—Report recommending acceptance of tender for construction of registry office for $4,673.

23rd April.—By-law appointing a Game Inspector.

24th April.—Resolution granting $100 to distressed inhabitants of Hull.

4th June.—Resolution granting $75 to 44th Batt.

4th June.—Resolution establishing an insane destitute list.

4th June.—By-law to provide for support of the insane destitute.

30th July—Decision of court on appeal from equalization.

9th Dec.—By-law incorporating Village of Niagara Falls.

8th Dec.—Report—Contracts let for rebuilding Tisdale's bridge, $900; Robins' bridge, $1,600.

10th Dec.—Report—Contract let for rebuilding south wing of gaol, $2,485.

10th Dec.—Memorial praying amendment of Assessment Act.

Expenditure—On bridges, $1,515.44; gaol repairs, $2,795.57; insane destitute, $2,366; registry office, $6,448.16; Marsh lands, $94.14.

Receipts from Marsh lands, $639.75.

1881.

Warden, James Smith, Reeve of Willoughby.

24th Jan.—Memorial respecting audit of criminal justice accounts.

24th Jan.—Memorial respecting selection of jurors.

29th Jan.—Report on audit of criminal justice accounts.

7th June.—Report respecting Chippawa bridge, with opinions of Messrs. Raymond and Bethune.

8th June.—Report on criminal justice accounts—amount overdrawn, $120.

17th June.—Resolution granting $50 to Welland Canal Field Battery.

18th June.—By-law to provide for withdrawal of Niagara Falls from the county.

5th July.—By-law to appoint arbitration in the matter of the withdrawal of Niagara Falls.

11th Aug.—Award of arbitrators *re* Niagara Falls.

6th Dec.—Memorial respecting dog tax.

21st Dec.—Memorial respecting water privileges on Welland Canal.

Expenditure—On bridges, $2,068.18; gaol repairs, $326.30; insane destitute. $2,086.50; registry office, $1,119.21; Marsh lands, $204.75.

Receipts from Marsh lands, $2,868.64.

1882.

Warden, Elisha Furry, Reeve of Humberstone.

27th Jan.—Resolution granting $400 to repair Chippawa bridge.

28th Jan.—Resolution granting $100 to the St. Catharines hospital.

20th Oct.—Resolution for sale of balance of Marsh lands at $3.50 an acre.

5th Dec.—Report—On agreement with Niagara Falls Town.

5th Dec.—Petition for continuance of grant to Agricultural and Arts Association of Ontario.

6th Dec.—Report—Port Davidson bridge repaired for $476.

6th Dec.—Report on Marsh lands: Total cost of tract, $13,680.11; law costs, $5,760.62; drainage, etc., to 1874, $62,186.63. Cash receipts from sales, $85,267.23. Amount due on mortgages, $27,279.89.

8th Dec.—Memorial respecting market fees.

Expenditure—On bridges, $944.67; gaol repairs, $501.83;

insane destitute, $2,158; registry office, $128.40; Marsh lands, $699.30.

Receipts from Marsh lands, $10,572.53.

1883.

Warden, Alexander Fraser, Reeve of Thorold Town.

25th Jan.—Memorial respecting Humberstone swing bridge.

26th Jan.—Resolution on retirement of Edward Lee, Esq., after twenty-five years service as a member of the Council.

26th Jan.—Memorial respecting Railway Act.

26th Jan.—Memorial for appointment of Dominion Bailiffs.

3rd Dec.—Petition in favor of woman suffrage.

4th Dec.—Report—Bridge rebuilt on town line between Crowland and Willoughby for $204. Contract let for Wellandport bridge for $3,600.

4th Dec.—Petition for reform in land transfer.

Expenditure—On bridges, $5,199.52; gaol repairs, $294.44; insane destitute, $2,077.91; registry office, $124.10; Marsh lands, $379.22.

Receipts from Marsh lands, $10,173.32.

1884.

Warden, Wm. McCleary, Deputy-Reeve of Thorold Town.

24th Jan.—Report—Recommending heating court house by steam.

25th Jan.—Report on gaol repairs.

— Jan.—Statement of acreage of tract of Marsh lands sold to Wilson & Reavely, 5,198.04 acres.

— June.—Memorial respecting Fort Erie ferry.

5th Nov.—Report on gaol repairs: Cost of heating apparatus, $2,775; roofing, $2,424.09; stone kitchen, $655.

6th Nov.—Report—Wellandport bridge completed for $9,500, half of which was paid by County of Lincoln; Port Davidson bridge rebuilt for $971.

7th Nov.—Resolution asking an inquiry into charges against Gaol Surgeon.

Report of Gaol Inspector on charges preferred against the Gaol Surgeon.

Expenditure—On bridges, $3,000.62 ; gaol repairs, $7,357.04 ; insane destitute, $2,080.00 ; registry office, $233.83 ; Marsh lands, $435.93.

Receipts from Mash lands, $1,615.27.

1885.

Warden, Cranmer Riselay, Reeve of Bertie.

27th Jan.—Report of County Judge on charges preferred against Gaol Surgeon.

30th Jan.—Resolution granting $400 to repair Chippawa bridge.

30th Jan.—By-law appointing Dr. Glasgow Gaol Surgeon.

30th Jan.—Petition respecting Humberstone ferry.

31st Jan.—Memorial respecting tax exemptions.

31st Jan.—Memorial opposing railway bonuses.

31st Jan.—Petition in favor of land transfer reform.

31st Jan.—Petition respecting swing bridge in Wainfleet, over Feeder.

31st Jan.—Petition for increased accommodation in asylums for idiots.

3rd June.—Report on Marsh lands mortgages : Amount still outstanding, $9,920.93.

3rd June.—Memorial against pollution of Niagara River.

5th June.—Report on revision of standing rules.

5th June.—Memorial for police service at Fort Erie.

5th June.—Petition in favor of extra-mural labor for prisoners in common gaols.

6th June.—By-law defining duties of the Gaol Surgeon.

3rd Dec.—Report on Niagara Falls accounts.

3rd Dec.—Report of board of audit respecting vagrants in gaol.

3rd Dec.—By-law respecting hawkers and peddlers.

5th Dec.—Resolution fixing rent for lock-up in gaol.

5th Dec.—Report—Contract let for rebuilding Beckett's bridge for $2,500.

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Expenditure—On bridges, $1,957.42 ; gaol repairs, $2,105.36 ; insane destitute, $2,501.50 ; registry office, $74.81 ; Marsh lands, $214.75.

Receipts—Marsh lands, $664.45 ; Niagara Falls, $1,257.08.

1886.

Warden, Ernest Cruikshank, Reeve of Fort Erie.

27th Jan.—Resolution granting $500 to the 44th Battalion.

30th Jan.—By-law further defining the duties of Gaol Surgeon.

3rd June.—Resolution respecting collection of arrears of Marsh lands mortgages.

4th June.—By-law fixing salary of Gaol Surgeon.

4th June.—Report upon exhibit at Indian and Colonial Exhibition.

5th June.—By-law for appointment of arbitrator *in re* Niagara Falls award.

18th Aug.—By-law appointing a Game Inspector.

18th Aug.—Memorial respecting the Niagara Falls award.

18th Aug.—Memorial respecting farm students.

8th Dec.—Memorial respecting weight of standard barrel of salt.

9th Dec.—By-law respecting salary of Gaol Surgeon.

9th Dec.—Memorial against the pollution of Niagara River.

10th Dec.—Report respecting extras on Beckett's bridge.

10th Dec.—Memorial respecting ruins of Fort Erie.

11th Dec.—By-law respecting support of the insane destitute.

Expenditure—On bridges, $2,876.39 ; gaol repairs, $717.34 ; insane destitute, $3,255.37 ; registry office, $303.70.

Receipts—Marsh lands, $6,509.49 ; Niagara Falls, $970.76.

1887.

Warden, John A. Orchard, Reeve of Stamford.

27th Jan.—Report on Marsh lands mortgages.

27th Jan.—Memorial respecting bridge over canal at Welland.

27th Jan.—Memorial respecting selection of jurors.

28th Jan.—Resolution directing preparation of an index to reports.

28th Jan.—By-law respecting support of insane destitute.

28th Jan.—By-law for the appointment of an arbitrator with Niagara Falls.

28th Jan.—Report on lock-up in gaol.

28th Jan.—Memorial for the enlargement of Brown's tap culvert.

28th Jan.—Memorial for the appointment of an arbitrator with Niagara Falls.

28th Jan.—Memorial for the enlargement of lunatic asylums.

31st May.—Report and award respecting Niagara Falls town.

1st June.—Memorial for the proper equipment of the volunteer force.

2nd June.—Resolution respecting contamination of Niagara River.

2nd June.—Report on Houses of Industry.

3rd June.—Jubilee address to the Queen.

3rd June.—Report—Contract let for town line bridge over Black creek for $808.30.

3rd June.—Memorial respecting the contamination of Niagara River.

4th June.—Resolution of regret at the death of Edward Lee, Esq.

4th June.—By-law for the extension of the Land Titles Act to the County of Welland.

16th Aug.—Report on farms offered for site of House of Industry.

16th Aug.—Report—Niagara Falls accounts: amount due, $495.10.

19th Aug.—Resolution to purchase farm for House of Industry of sixty acres, for $3,600.

19th Sept.—Report on plans for House of Industry.

12th Oct.—Report on tenders for building House of Industry.

13th Oct.—Resolution to accept tender for $8,400.

14th Oct.—By-law for management of House of Industry.

14th Oct.—Memorial respecting Welland water works.

15th Oct.—By-law appointing a Building Inspector.

15th Oct.—Memorial respecting insane destitute.

5th Dec.—By-law for issue of debentures for House of Industry.

5th Dec.—Resolution respecting contamination of the Niagara River.

5th Dec.—Report on Niagara Falls accounts—amount due, $872.

6th Dec.—Report on progress of House of Industry.

7th Dec.—By-law respecting auctioneers.

7th Dec.—Report—Contract let for barn for $1,197.

7th Dec.—Report on Marsh lands mortgages: Amount outstanding, $690.57.

7th Dec.—Memorial respecting grand juries.

8th Dec.—By-law appointing officers of House of Industry.

9th Dec.—By-law appointing keeper of the House of Industry.

9th Dec.—By-law respecting hawkers and pedlers.

Expenditure—On bridges, $1,823.72; gaol repairs, $1,011.25; House of Industry, $8,192.40; insane destitute, $3,081.25; registry office, $31.50; Marsh lands, $100.78.

Receipts—Marsh lands, $1,924.53; Niagara Falls, $1,367.10.

1888.

Warden, J. Hamilton Burgar, Reeve of Welland.

21st Jan.—Report on House of Industry.

27th Jan.—Resolution for alterations in House of Industry.

28th Jan.—Memorial for enlargement of Brown's tap culvert.

28th Jan.—Memorial respecting promotion examinations.

28th Jan.—Petition against the bonus system.

26th May.—Report of Prison Inspector on the sanitary condition of the gaol.

4th June.—By-law for issue of debentures for House of Industry.

5th June.—Resolution opening House of Industry on 11th June.

5th June.—By-law repealing by-law for the support of insane destitute.

5th June.—Report on Niagara Falls accounts; amount due, $1,515.22.

6th June.—Report on unhealthy condition of gaoler's apartments.

7th June.—By-law appointing Physician for House of Industry.

7th June.—Report—Contract let for Port Robinson bridge for $9,400.

7th June.—Report on House of Industry; summary of expenditure, $18,073.78.

23rd Oct.—Resolution declining to act on Inspector's report on sanitary condition of gaol.

23rd Oct.—Report of Prison Inspector on gaol.

4th Dec.—Report on pollution of Niagara River.

5th Dec.—Report of County Solicitor on the same.

6th Dec.—Report on House of Industry; expenditure to 1st Dec., $24,310.22.

7th Dec.—Report on alterations to gaol.

Expenditure—On bridges, $10,244.88; gaol repairs, $1,057.56; insane destitute, $17.80; House of Industry, $17,015.73; registry office, $257.09.

Receipts—Niagara Falls, $1,515.21.

1889.

Warden, T. L. Stone, Reeve of Port Colborne.

22nd Jan.—Resolution that paid committees consist of three members.

Inspector's report on House of Industry.

23rd Jan.—Memorial for the prohibition of the sale and manufacture of intoxicating liquors.

20th March.—Memorial respecting site for gaoler's residence.

20th March.—Memorial respecting Buffalo & Brantford railway track.

13th April.—Report of investigation, House of Industry.

1st June.—Report on House of Industry..

3rd June.—By-law for issue of debentures for House of Industry.

5th June. –By-law regulating assessments by minor municipalities.

5th June.—Report on site for gaoler's residence.

6th June.—Report—Contract let for buildings for $4,859.

7th June.—Memorial praying for assessment of railway property.

3rd Dec.—Report—Niagara Falls accounts — Amount due, $1,521.40.

3rd Dec.—Memorial respecting Railway Act.

4th Dec.—Report—House of Industry.

4th Dec.—Report—Sale of debentures for $15,565.

4th Dec.—Report on pollution of Niagara River.

5th Dec.—Report—Cost of gaoler's and turnkey's residences, $5,437.48.

6th Dec.—Resolution discontinuing maintenance of small bridges on town lines.

Expenditure—On bridges, $621.36; gaol repairs, $4,790.14; House of Industry, $4,925.12; insane destitute, $37.00; registry office, $258.68.

Receipts—House of Industry, $122; Niagara Falls, $1,521.40; registry office, $415.10.

1890.

Warden, George L. Hobson, Reeve of Welland.

29th Jan.—Resolution granting $100 to 44th Batt.

31st Jan.—Resolution respecting the discharge of inmates from House of Industry.

1st Feb.—By-law defining duties of the caretaker of court house.

28th Jan.—Inspector's report on House of Industry.

30th Jan.—Report on heating of gaoler's residence.

31st Jan.—Memorial for the better equipment of the volunteer force.

— June.—Report on House of Industry.

11th Dec.—Report on House of Industry—Cost of steam heating apparatus, $771.33; underdraining, $233.49.

11th Dec.—Report of County Clerk on license fees and Marsh lands mortgages.

11th Dec.—Report—Montrose bridge repaired for $265.88; approaches to Port Robinson bridge, $290.

Expenditure—On bridges, $611.66; gaol repairs, $2,250.67; House of Industry, $5,704.13; registry office, $115.07.

Receipts—House of Industry, $188.51; Marsh lands, $291.07; registry office, $358.95.

1891.

Warden, Herbert G. Macklem, Reeve of Chippawa.

29th Jan.—By-law appointing L. C. Raymond County Solicitor.

30th Jan.—Resolution directing enquiry into comparative expenditure of different Houses of Industry.

30th Jan.—By-law increasing pay of members to $3 per diem.

31st Jan.—By-law amending the by-law for management of the House of Industry.

31st Jan.—Memorial respecting Niagara Falls award.

2nd June.—Memorial for the amendment of the Anatomy Act.

3rd June.—Report on Marsh lands accounts: Apparent deficiency, $5,959.27.

3rd June.—Report on Niagara Falls accounts for 1889: Amount due, $1,409.81.

4th June.—Report on House of Industry: Expenditure for five months, $1,558.36.

4th June.—By-law appointing G. L. Hobson County Treasurer.

6th June.—By-law appointing Robert Cooper County Clerk.

9th Dec.—Report on Niagara Falls accounts for 1890: Amount due, $1,571.25.

9th Dec.—Report on renewal of agreement with town of Niagara Falls.

10th Dec.—Treasurer's statement of expenditure.

10th Dec.—Report on House of Industry: Expenditure for eleven months, $3,556.78.

10th Dec.—Report on comparative expenditure of different Houses of Industry.

11th Dec.—By-law to enable village of Fort Erie to convey Leopold street.

11th Dec.—Report on High school accounts. Welland High school entitled to receive $718.23 in addition to a sum equivalent to the Government grant.

Expenditure—Bridges, $9.42; gaol repairs, $970.75; House of Industry, $6,771.75; registry office, $253.48.

Receipts—House of Industry, $4,124.74; Niagara Falls town, $3,004.98; registry office, $236.31.

1892.

Warden, Michael B. Barnhard, Reeve of Willoughby.

28th Jan.—Resolution authorizing compilation of Municipal Records.

28th Jan.—Report on House of Industry; expenditure for maintenance for 1891, $4,032.88.

29th Jan.—Resolution for construction of hospital at House of Industry, and of an addition to the barn.

30th Jan.—By-law to appoint a special constable for the suppression of vagrancy.

30th Jan.—Memorial respecting maintenance of bridges.

1st June.—Resolution directing copies to be made of the original township maps.

1st June.—Report—Cost of heating apparatus for registry office, $618.08.

1st June.—Reports—House of Industry—Contracts let for barn for $425, and for hospital, $1,673; expenditure for maintenance for five months, $1,720.76.

3rd June.—Resolution granting $100 for Centennial celebration.

3rd June.—By-law further defining duties of physician for House of Industry.

4th June.—By-law authorizing the Warden to make a contract with the Town of Welland for a supply of water for the House of Industry.

6th Dec.—Treasurer's statement.

7th Dec.—Report—Niagara Falls accounts—Amount due, $1,-381.96.

Report on House of Industry—Expenditure on capital account, $3,292.40 ; for maintenance, eleven months, $3,827.89.

Agreement with town of Welland for supply of water.

8th Dec.—Report—Contract let for rebuilding Montrose bridge for $875.

Expenditure—Bridges, $1,211.74 ; House of Industry, capital, $3,250.07 ; maintenance, $3,972.75 ; gaol repairs, $968.90 ; registry office, $1,185.46.

Receipts—House of Industry, $498.30 ; registry office, $428.93 ; Niagara Falls, $1,381.96.

1893.

Warden, C. B. Bennett, Reeve of Thorold Township.

25th Jan.—By-law appointing Dr. J. H. Howell Gaol Surgeon.

25th Jan.—Inspector's report on House of Industry—net cost of maintenance for 1892, $4,097.07.

25th Jan.—Registrar's statement—Amount due county, $1,041.-47½.

25th Jan.—Memorial respecting culverts on natural water courses.

27th Jan.—Resolution granting $50 to the township of Willoughby.

28th Jan.—Resolution directing purchase of hose and water pipe for House of Industry.

9th June.—Resolution granting $100 to 44th Battalion.

9th June.—Resolution granting $300 to St. Catharines hospital.

9th June.—Report on House of Industry—Expenditures—On maintenance for five months, $1,790.48 ; on water works, $325.40 ; on drainage, $195.39.

9th June.—Treasurer's statement.

9th June.—Memorial for distribution of the school law.

9th June.—Memorial respecting railway crossings.

Appointed Officers of the County Council of Welland, 1856-93.

CLERKS.

D. D'Everardo, 1856-73; Joseph C. Page, 1873-91; Robert Cooper, 1891-3.

TREASURERS.

A. Thompson, 1856-65; James McGlashan, 1865-91; G. L. Hobson, 1891-3.

COUNTY SOLICITORS.

L. D. Raymond, 1857-91; L. C. Raymond, 1891-3.

INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS.

James H. Ball, 1871-93.

KEEPER OF HOUSE OF INDUSTRY.

John W. Hemming, 1888-93.

MATRON OF HOUSE OF INDUSTRY.

Mrs. John W. Hemming, 1888-93.

PHYSICIAN OF HOUSE OF INDUSTRY.

Dr. J. O. Emmett, 1888-93.

Minor Municipalities.

The sober and stable disposition of the people generally is indicated in a marked degree by the long tenure of office in various municipalities by men who have gained the public confidence.

Of these, the late Edward Lee of Wainfleet was perhaps the most striking example. Elected clerk of the township in 1835, he held office in that capacity and subsequently as councillor, reeve or treasurer, until his death in 1887, a period of fifty-two years. For exactly a quarter of a century he continued to represent his municipality in the County Council. Daniel Near was councillor, reeve or clerk of Humberstone for thirty-six years in succession and, like Mr. Lee, died in office at an advanced age. James Cummings held some municipal office in Willoughby or Chippawa for upwards of thirty years. Both the last named gentlemen represented the county for

some time in the Provincial Parliament. Most of the successful and unsuccessful candidates for both Houses of Parliament have at some time been members of the County Council. Among these may be enumerated Messrs. Gilbert McMicking and Archibald Thompson, who were members of the District Council; John Frazer, T. C. Street, Wm. McCleary, W. M. German, J. A. Lowell, E. Lee, Edwin Hershey, Wm. Buchner, G. L. Hobson, A. Fraser, James Lawson, A. G. Hill and John Pew.

Mr. Joseph Garner, who was councillor and reeve for Pelham for twenty-three years, ranks next to Mr. Lee in length of service, and John A. Ramsden comes next, with a record of fifteen years.

The councils of most municipalities seem to be convinced that it is not wise to make frequent changes in the offices of treasurer and clerk. Mr. W. T. Fish has been clerk of the town of Thorold for twenty-six years, Mr. E. R. Hellems clerk of Welland for twenty-four, and Mr. Wm. Greenwood clerk of Chippawa for twenty-two. The late John B. Crow was clerk of Pelham for twenty-eight years, and Col. J. E. Morin held the same position in Bertie for twenty years. Mr. J. C. Woodruff was treasurer of Stamford for thirty-three years and Mr. H. D. Lock has been treasurer of Welland for eighteen.

As a municipality, Port Colborne has shown the most remarkable example of stability in retaining the same appointed officers although the composition of the council has frequently changed. Mr. David Hughes has held the office of treasurer since incorporation, a period of twenty-four years, Mr. James Twohey has been collector for twenty-two, and Mr. S. J. Hopkins clerk for twenty-one years.

Many other examples of a similar indisposition to change without very good reason will be observed in the following pages.

BERTIE TOWNSHIP.

1843.

At the annual township meeting for the township of Bertie, held at Jacob Willson's, Cross Roads, the 2nd day of January, 1843, the following persons were appointed to office, viz.:

Edmund Riselay, Esq., Chairman; Benjamin Troup, District Councillor; Rev. John Anderson, James Stanton, Benjamin Learn, William Powell, Lewis Palmer, Isaac S. Haun, Luke Lee, School Commissioners; John Haun, Town Clerk; William Rooth, Assessor; Lewis Palmer, Collector; John Wesley Lewis, B. F. Pound and Jacob Miller, Town Wardens.

1844.

Edmund Riselay, Esq., Chairman at township meeting; Lewis Palmer, District Councillor; John Haun, Town Clerk; Edmund Riselay, Collector; John Haun, Assessor; Dr. Benj. P. Hall, Arthur Johnston, Henry Troup, Town Wardens.

By-laws—Horses shall not run at large. Fences shall be five feet high.

1845.

Edmund Riselay, Chairman; John Haun, Town Clerk; John Haun, Assessor; Edmund Riselay, Collector; Richard Graham, Samuel McAfee and James Stanton, Town Wardens.

1846.

Edmund Riselay, Chairman; Wm. P. Willson, Town Clerk; Asa Schooley, Assessor; Edmund Riselay, Collector; Johoida Schooley, Jacob Duncklee, John Riselay, Town Wardens.

1847.

I. S. Haun, Chairman; Asa Schooley, District Councillor; John Haun, Town Clerk and Assessor; I. S. Haun, Collector; Edmund Riselay, John Moore, Wm. Buck, Town Wardens.

1848.

Lewis Palmer, Chairman; Wm. P. Willson, Town Clerk; John Haun, Assessor; Lewis Palmer, Collector; Arthur Johnson, Wm. Buck, B. C., J. W. Lewis, Town Wardens.

1849.

Lewis Palmer, Chairman ; William P. Willson, Town Clerk ; R. Graham, Councillor ; George Hardison, assessor ; Lewis Palmer, Collector ; Arthur Johnston, Abram A. Hershey, John Jansen, Town Wardens.

1850.

Isaac S. Haun, Town Reeve ; Richard Graham, Wm. A. Rooth, Benjamin House and Lewis Palmer, Councilmen ; George Hardison, Township Clerk ; Horatio Willson, Assessor and Enumerator ; Jesse Baxter, Collector ; James Stanton, Treasurer ; Peter Learn and George Hardison, Assessors.

By-law, chapter 19—An act to divide the township into Rural Wards and for other purposes, Nov. 23rd, 1850.

1851.

Alexander Douglas, Town Reeve ; Jacob Baxter, Johoida Schooley, Benjamin House and Wm. A. Rooth, Councilmen ; George Hardison, Clerk ; James Stanton, John Riselay, Henry A. Dickout, Assessors ; James Stanton, Treasurer ; Lewis Palmer, Collector.

1852.

Jacob Baxter, Town Reeve ; Ralph Disher, Jacob Miller and Peter Shisler, Councilmen ; Geo. Hardison, Clerk ; Peter Learn, Assessor ; John Moore, Collector ; Richard Graham, Treasurer.

1853.

George Hardison, Reeve ; Wm. A. Rooth, Benj. House, John Jansen and Joseph Cutler, Councilmen ; James Stanton, Clerk ; Nathaniel James, Assessor ; Isaac S. Haun, Collector ; Richard Graham, Treasurer.

1854.

George Hardison, Reeve ; Joseph Cutler, John Jansen, James Weeks and Jesse Zavitz, Councilmen ; Benjamin House and Ralph Disher, Assessors ; Frederick Sager, Clerk ; Jacob Jansen, Collector ; Richard Graham, Treasurer.

1855.

Arthur Johnston, Reeve ; Joseph Cutler, John Jansen, James

Weeks and George Hardison, Councilmen; Frederick Sager, Clerk; Peter Learn, Assessor; Jacob Jansen, Collector; Richard Graham, Treasurer.

1856.

Arthur Johnston, Reeve; Chas. M. Gorham, John W. Lewis, Burch Baxter and Thomas Shotwell, Councilmen; John Rooth, succeeded by Peter Learn, Clerk; James Zavitz, Assessor; Daniel Pauley, Collector; Richard Graham, Treasurer.

1857.

John W. Lewis, Reeve; John Riselay, Reeve from July 11; Chas. Gorham, Peter Hendershot, Burch Baxter and Daniel G. Holcomb, Councilmen; Peter Learn, Clerk; Peter Learn, Assessor; Brock Lee, Collector; Richard Graham, Treasurer.

1858.

Chas. M. Gorham, Reeve; Thomas Newbigging, Henry C. Anger, Peter Hendershot, Fred. Rose, Councilmen; Peter Learn, Clerk; Burch Baxter, Assessor; John Riselay, Collector; Rich. Graham, Treasurer.

1859.

Thomas Newbigging, Reeve; Henry C. Anger, Peter Hendershot, John Hershey, Washington M. Sloan, Councilmen; Peter Learn, Clerk; James Zavitz, Assessor; Brock Lee, Collector; Richard Graham, Treasurer.

1860.

Thos. Newbigging, Reeve; Joseph Seal, Peter Hendershot, John Hershey, Washington M. Sloan, Councilmen; Peter Learn, Clerk; James J. Moore, Assessor; George Hershey, Collector; Arthur Johnston, Treasurer.

1861.

Thos. Newbigging, Reeve; John Miller, Robert Robb, John Hershey and Washington M. Sloan, Councilmen; Peter Learn, Clerk; Chas. M. Gorham, Assessor; George Hershey, Collector; Arthur Johnston, Treasurer.

1862.

Washington M. Sloan, Reeve ; Thos. Newbigging, Joseph Seal, Thos. Kennedy and Burch Baxter, Councilmen ; Ralph Disher, Clerk ; Chas. M. Gorham, Assessor ; Benjamin House, Collector ; Arthur Johnston, Treasurer.

1863.

John A. Edsall, Reeve ; Thos. Kennedy, Washington M. Sloan, John Stockdale and Henry Near, Councilmen ; Ralph Disher, Clerk ; E. A. Dickout, Assessor ; Jacob Jansen, Collector ; Arthur Johnston, Treasurer.

1864.

Peter Learn, Reeve ; John Hershey, Deputy Reeve ; John Stockdale, Joseph Goulding and Abraham Sherk, Councillors ; B. M. Disher, Clerk ; Washington M. Sloan, Assessor, Jacob Jansen, Collector ; Joseph Johnston, Treasurer.

1865.

Martin Climenhage, Reeve; George Graham, Deputy Reeve ; John Miller, Burch Baxter, Abraham Sherk, Councillors ; B. M. Disher, Clerk; Peter Learn, Jr., Assessor ; Peter E. Miller, Collector ; Joseph Johnston, Treasurer.

1866.

John Miller, Reeve ; Geo. Graham, Deputy Reeve ; Martin Climenhage, Burch Baxter, Abraham Sherk, Councillors ; Andrew Hardison, Clerk ; Peter Learn, Jr., Assessor ; Henry Near, Collector ; Joseph Johnston, Treasurer.

1867.

William Hobson, Reeve ; Peter E. Miller, Deputy Reeve ; John Miller, Duncan Schooley, Joseph J. Sherk, Councillors ; A. R. Hardison, Clerk ; Daniel Paulus, Assessor ; Johoida Schooley, Collector ; Joseph Johnston, Treasurer.

1868.

Peter Learn, Sr., Reeve ; Peter E. Miller, Deputy Reeve ; John Miller, Peter Learn, Jr., and Cranmer Riselay, Councillors ; Daniel

Paulus, Assessor; Joseph Newbigging, Collector; A. R. Hardison, Clerk; Joseph Johnston, Treasurer.

1869.

Peter Learn, Sr., Reeve; Peter E. Miller, Deputy Reeve; John Miller, Peter Learn, Jr., and Cranmer Riselay, Councillors; A. R. Hardison, Clerk; John Hershey, Assessor; Joseph Newbigging, Collector; Joseph Johnston, Treasurer.

1870.

Peter Learn, Sr., Reeve; Peter Learn, Jr., Deputy Reeve; John Miller, Edwin Hershey, and William Thompson, Councillors; A. R. Hardison, Clerk; Sylvester Graham, Assessor; Joseph Newbigging, Collector; Joseph Johnston, Treasurer.

1871.

Peter Learn, Sr., Reeve; John Hershey, Deputy Reeve; E. A. Dickout, Edwin Hershey, Benjamin Troup, Councillors; Sylvester Graham, Assessor; James E. Anger, Collector; John Hendershot, Clerk; Joseph Johnston, Treasurer.

1872.

Peter Learn, Sr., Reeve; Edwin Hershey, Deputy Reeve; E. A. Dickout, F. W. Krafft, and John Hershey, Councillors; Thos. L. Newbigging, Assessor; Edmund Miller, Collector; Jas. E. Morin, Clerk; Joseph Johnston, Treasurer.

1873.

Edwin Hershey, Reeve; E. A. Dickout, Deputy Reeve; Cranmer Riselay, Levi Baker, John Hershey, Councillors; Jas. E. Morin, Clerk; Thomas L. Newbigging, Assessor; Edmund Miller, Collector; Joseph Johnston, Treasurer.

1874.

Edwin Hershey, Reeve; E. A. Dickout, Deputy Reeve; Cranmer Riselay, John Hershey, Levi Baker, Councillors; Thomas L. Newbigging, Assessor; Jas. E. Morin, Clerk; Edmund Miller, Collector; Joseph Johnston, Treasurer.

1875.

Duncan Schooley, Reeve; F. W. Krafft, Deputy Reeve; Thos.

Kennedy, John Miller, Isaac White, Councillors; Jas. E. Morin, Clerk; William Hobson, jr., Assessor; A. R. Hardison, Collector; P. W. Anthony, Treasurer.

1876.

John Hershey, Reeve; Levi Baker, Deputy Reeve; Thomas Kennedy, C. A. Girven, Edmund Miller, Councillors; Jas. E. Morin, Clerk; Ernest Cruikshank, Assessor; A. L. Jansen, Collector; P. W. Anthony, Treasurer.

1877.

Edwin Hershey, Reeve; Levi Baker, Deputy Reeve; Edmund Miller, Benjamin Troup, Adolph Mann, Councillors; Ernest Cruikshank, Assessor; A. L. Jansen, Collector; Jas. E. Morin, Clerk; Peter Learn, Treasurer.

1878.

Edwin Hershey, Reeve; Levi Baker, Deputy Reeve; Edmund Miller, Benj. Troup, Adolph Mann, Councillors; Jas. E. Morin, Clerk; E. A. Dickout, Assessor; A. L. Jansen, Collector; Peter Learn, Treasurer.

1879.

Edwin Hershey, Reeve; Levi Baker, Deputy Reeve; Benj. Troup, Adolph Mann, J. M. McLachlan, Councillors; Jas. E. Morin, Clerk; Edmund Miller, Assessor; A. L. Jansen, Collector; Peter Learn, Treasurer.

1880.

Edwin Hershey, Reeve; Levi Baker, Deputy Reeve; Edmund Miller, Walter Ellsworth, Noah Lee, Councillors; Jas. E. Morin, Clerk; John Hendershot, Assessor; Adolph Mann, Collector; Peter Learn, Treasurer.

1881.

Edwin Hershey, Reeve; Levi Baker, Deputy Reeve; Edmund Miller, Walter Ellsworth, Noah Lee, Councillors; Jas. E. Morin, Clerk; E. A. Dickout, Assessor; A. L. Jansen, Collector; Peter Learn, Treasurer.

1882.

Edwin Hershey, Reeve ; Levi Baker, Deputy Reeve ; Edmund Miller, W. E. Ellsworth, Noah Lee, Councillors ; Adolph Mann, Collector ; Jas. E. Morin, Clerk ; E. A. Dickout, Assessor ; Peter Learn, Treasurer.

1883.

Cranmer Riselay, Reeve ; Edmund Miller, Deputy Reeve ; W. E. Ellsworth, Joseph Critz, John A. Graham, Councillors ; Jas. E. Morin, Clerk ; E. A. Dickout, Assessor ; Anderson Jansen, Collector ; Peter Learn, Treasurer.

1884.

Cranmer Riselay, Reeve ; Edmund Miller, Deputy Reeve ; W. E. Ellsworth, 2nd Deputy Reeve ; Joseph Critz and John A. Graham, Councillors ; Jas. E. Morin, Clerk ; E. A. Dickout, Assessor ; Anderson I. Jansen, Collector ; Peter Learn, Treasurer.

1885.

Cranmer Riselay, Reeve ; Edmund Miller, Deputy Reeve ; W. E. Ellsworth, 2nd Deputy Reeve ; Joseph Critz and John Graham, Councillors ; Jas. E. Morin, Clerk ; E. A. Dickout, Assessor ; Alex. L. Jansen, Collector ; Ralph Disher, Treasurer.

1886.

Cranmer Riselay, Reeve ; Edmund Miller, Deputy Reeve ; W. E. Ellsworth, 2nd Deputy Reeve ; Joseph Critz and John Graham, Councillors ; Jas. E. Morin, Clerk ; James Edsall, Assessor ; Alex. L. Jansen, Collector ; Ralph Disher, Treasurer.

1887.

Edmund Miller, Reeve ; John Hendershot, 1st Deputy Reeve ; B. M. Disher, 2nd Deputy Reeve ; John Bethune and John Smith, Councillors ; Jas. E. Morin, Clerk ; James Edsall, Assessor ; Alex. L. Jansen, Collector ; Ralph Disher, Treasurer.

1888.

Edmund Miller, Reeve ; John Hendershot, 1st Deputy Reeve ; Benj. M. Disher, 2nd Deputy Reeve ; John Bethune, John Smith,

Councillors ; Jas. E. Morin, Clerk ; Robert Willson, Assessor ; Alex. L. Jansen, Collector ; Ralph Disher, Treasurer.

1889.

Edmund Miller, Reeve ; Frank W. Krafft, 1st Deputy Reeve ; B. M. Disher, 2nd Deputy Reeve ; John Smith and George F. House, Councillors ; Jas. E. Morin, Clerk ; E. A. Dickout, Assessor ; A. L. Jansen, Collector ; Ralph Disher, Treasurer.

1890.

Cranmer Riselay, Reeve ; B. M. Disher, 1st Deputy Reeve ; Lewis House, 2nd Deputy Reeve ; Philip Johnson, George F. House, Councillors ; Jas. E Morin, Clerk ; David Fretz, Assessor ; Alex. L. Jansen, Collector ; Ralph Disher, Treasurer.

1891.

Cranmer Riselay, Reeve ; B. M. Disher, 1st Deputy Reeve ; John Weiss, 2nd Deputy Reeve ; I. H. Allen and Jas. W. Jewson, Councillors ; Jas. E. Morin, Clerk ; A. H. Kilman, Clerk after Aug. 13th ; Noah Lee, Assessor ; A. L. Jansen, Collector ; Ralph Disher, Treasurer.

1892.

Cranmer Riselay, Reeve ; B. M. Disher, 1st Deputy Reeve ; John Weiss, 2nd Deputy Reeve ; Isaac H. Allen and Jas. W. Jewson, Councillors ; A. H. Kilman, Clerk ; John Hendershot, Assessor ; John Bethune, Collector ; Ralph Disher, Treasurer.

1893.

Cranmer Riselay, Reeve ; Frank W. Krafft, 1st Deputy Reeve ; John Weiss, 2nd Deputy Reeve ; I. H. Allen and Jas. W. Jewson, Councillors ; A. H. Kilman, Clerk ; Adolph Mann, Assessor ; H. M. Hershey, Collector ; Ralph Disher, Treasurer.

By-Laws of Bertie.

No. 291—1871—Defining the duties of Pound-keepers and Fence-viewers.

No. 328—1873—Restraining certain animals from running at large, and defining fences, &c.

No. 330—1873—To acquire land to widen certain roads.

No. 343—1874—For the erection of a town hall.

No. 374—1876—Act relating to public morals.

No. 389—1877—Defining the road divisions.

No. 400—1877—Appropriating the Municipal Distribution Fund to educational purposes.

No. 409—1878—Changing boundaries of S. Sections 2, 4, 5, 6, 9 and 10.

No. 463—1881—For erecting a lock-up.

No. 464—1881—Equalizing statute labor.

No. 501—1884—Adopting Provincial Health by-law.

No. 539—1887—Regulating duties of Overseers of Highways, &c.

No. 545—1887—Granting certain privileges to Fort Erie Railway Co.

No. 565—1889—Granting right to lay pipes for natural gas and other mineral products to Peter McLaren and others.

No. 580—1890—Granting right to lay pipes for natural gas and other mineral products to Carrol Brothers and others.

No. 581—1890—To provide for drainage, "Baer ditch."

No. 582—1890—To provide for drainage, "Zavitz ditch."

No. 588—1891—Granting right to lay pipes for natural gas and other mineral products to Gerrhard Lang.

No. 592—1892—Granting right to lay pipes for natural gas and other mineral products to "Bertie Natural Gas Co."

No. 607—1892—To prevent obstruction of rivers, streams and watercourses.

No. 612—1892—Closing and exchanging Leopold street.

No. 614—1892—To restrain dogs from running at large.

No. 618—1893—To grant John E. Rebstock and assigns privilege to construct a street railway—Ridgeway to Crystal Beach.

CHIPPAWA.

1850.

James Cummings, Reeve ; J. A. Wilkinson, Clerk ; Wm. Nicholson, Treasurer ; John Flett, Sr., Assessor : Burnet Conklin, Collector.

1851.

James Cummings, Reeve ; Wm. Nicholson, Peter Morse, James W. Fell, J. Kirkpatrick, Councillors ; J. A. Wilkinson, Clerk ; Wm. Nicholson, Treasurer ; John C. Davies and Francis Leach, Assessors ; Joseph Moore, Collector.

1852.

James Cummings, Reeve ; Jas. C. Macklem, Richard Deakes, John Flett, J. Kirkpatrick, Councillors ; J. A. Wilkinson, Clerk ; Wm. Nicholson, Treasurer ; Wm. Nicholson, John Meriam, Assessors; Charles Hart, Collector.

1853.

James Cummings, Reeve ; Oliver T. Macklem, Wm. Nicholson, John Flett, A. H. Emmons, Councillors ; J. A. Wilkinson, Clerk ; Jas. C. Macklem, Treasurer ; Henry Bond, Jas. Amm, Assessors.

1854.

Jas. Cummings, Reeve ; Oliver T. Macklem, J. C. Kirkpatrick, Jos. C. Macklem, Thos. Macklem, Councillors ; Jas. McGlashan, Clerk ; James C. Macklem, Treasurer ; Jas. A. Wilkinson, A. H. Emmons, Assessors ; John Rapeljie, Collector.

1855.

Jas. Cummings, Reeve ; Oliver T. Macklem, Richard Kirkpatrick, Henry Bond, Richard Deakes, Councillors ; J. A. Wilkinson, Clerk ; Jos. F. Macklem, Treasurer ; John Meriam, Alex. Smith, Assessors ; Jos. Amm, Collector.

1856.

Jas. Cummings, Reeve ; Oliver T. Macklem, J. Macklem, Wm. Nicholson, John Meriam, Councillors ; J. A. Wilkinson, Clerk ; Jas. F. Macklem, Treasurer ; Joel Lyons, Jas. Amm, Assessors ; John Rapeljie, Collector.

1857.

Jas. Cummings, Reeve; Oliver T. Macklem, J. Macklem, George McMicking, Gavin Nicholson, Councillors; J. A. Wilkinson, Clerk; Jas. F. Macklem, Treasurer; West Carnochan, Thos. Fleming, Assessors; John Rapeljie, Collector.

1858.

James Cummings, Reeve; R. Kirkpatrick, J. F. Macklem, George McMicking, Chas. Bosse, Councillors; J. A. Wilkinson, Clerk; Jas. F. Macklem, Treasurer; Jas. Amm, Alex. Smith, Assessors; John Rapeljie, Collector.

1859.

Jas. Cummings, Reeve; Alex. Emmons, J. F. Macklem, Alex. Smith, Chas. Keller, Councillors; J. A. Wilkinson, Clerk; Jas. F. Macklem, Treasurer; Thos. Davidson, Jas. Carlow, Assessors; Wm. Greenwood, Collector.

1860.

Jas. Cummings, Reeve; Alex. Emmons, J. F. Macklem, Alex. Smith, Chas. Keller, Councillors; John Rapeljie, Clerk; Jas. F. Macklem, Treasurer; Francis Lauzau, Michael Urlocker, Assessors; Wm. Greenwood, Collector.

1861.

Jas. Cummings, Reeve; John Flett, Jr., J. F. Macklem, Wm. Thomas, J. Wilkinson, Councillors; John Rapeljie, Clerk; Jas. F. Macklem, Treasurer; John Meriam, Alex. Emmons, Assessors; Jas. Amm, Collector.

1862.

John C. Kirkpatrick, Reeve; John Flett, Jr., J. F. Macklem, Wm. Macklem, Dr. Aberdeen, Councillors; John Rapeljie, Clerk; Rich. Deakes, Alex. Emmons, Assessors; Jas. Amm, Collector.

1863.

John C. Kirkpatrick, Reeve; John Flett, Jr., J. F. Macklem, John Bartle, Dr. Aberdeen, Councillors; John Rapeljie, Clerk; Dr. McMicking, Treasurer; Joel Lyons, A. Carnochan, Assessors.

1864.

John C. Kirkpatrick, Reeve; John Thomas, J. F. Macklem, John Bartle, Dr. Aberdeen, Councillors; Dr. McMicking, Treasurer; John Rapeljie, Clerk; Joel Lyons, Thos. Davidson, Assessors; John Rapeljie, Collector.

1865.

John C. Kirkpatrick, Reeve; John Flett, Jr., J. F. Macklem, John Bartle, Dr. Aberdeen, Councillors; John Rapeljie, Clerk; R. H. Kirkpatrick, Treasurer; John Breckon, A. Carnochan, Assessors; John Rapeljie, Collector.

1866.

John C. Kirkpatrick, Reeve; John Flett, Jr., J. F. Macklem, John Bartle, Chas. Keller, Councillors; John Rapeljie, Clerk; R. H. Kirkpatrick, Treasurer; John Breckon, A. Carnochan, Assessors; John Rapeljie, Collector.

1867.

John C. Kirkpatrick, Reeve; John Flett, Jr., J. F. Macklem, John Bartle, Chas. Keller, Councillors; John Rapeljie, Clerk; Chas. Keller, Jr., Treasurer; Ernest Peters, John Rapeljie, Assessors; Joseph Day, Collector.

1868.

John C. Kirkpatrick, Reeve; John Flett, Jr., J. F. Macklem, John Bartle, Chas. Keller, Councillors; Chas. Keller, Jr., Clerk; Chas. Keller, Jr., Treasurer; Ernest Peters, Henry Bond, Assessors; Michael Mater, Collector.

1869.

John C. Kirkpatrick, Reeve; John Flett, Jr., J. F. Macklem, John Bartle, Chas. Keller, Councillors; Chas. Keller, Jr., Clerk and Treasurer; James McKenzie, Wm. Gilmore, Assessors; Michael Mater, Collector.

1870.

John C. Kirkpatrick, Reeve; John Flett, Jr., J. F. Macklem, Thos. Davidson, Chas. Keller, Councillors; Chas. Keller, Jr., Clerk

and Treasurer ; Henry Bond, A. Herbold, Assessors ; Michael Mater, Collector.

1871.

John C. Kirkpatrick, Reeve ; John Conway, J. F. Macklem, Thos. Davidson, Chas. Keller, Councillors ; Chas. Keller, Jr., Clerk and Treasurer ; E. Parr, A. Herbold, Assessors ; A. Herbold, Collector.

1872.

J. F. Macklem, Reeve ; John Conway, A. Couper, John Bartle, Chas. Keller, Councillors ; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk ; J. Carter, Treasurer ; Thos. Davidson, Henry Rogers, Assessors ; Rich. Deakes, Collector.

1873.

J. F. Macklem, Reeve ; Thos. Macklem, J. Conway, John Bartle, Ernest Peters, Councillors ; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk ; J. Carter, Treasurer ; John Macklem, Robert Logan, Assessors ; Rich. Deakes, Collector.

1874.

John Bartle, Reeve ; A. Couper, Wm. Gilmore, J. H. Pierce, D. Lauzau, Councillors ; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk ; J. Carter, Treasurer ; Thos. Davidson, Ernest Peters, Assessors ; Richard Deakes, Collector.

1875.

John Bartle, Reeve ; John Flett, Wm. Gilmore, E. Gaviller, Chas. Keller, Jr., Councillors ; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk ; F. Fisher, Treasurer ; Thos Davidson, Ernest Peters, Assessors ; Jas. McKenzie, Collector.

1876.

John Bartle, Reeve ; Chas. Bosse, Wm. Gilmore, J. H. Pierce, John S. Macklem, Councillors ; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk ; F. Fisher, Treasurer ; Thos. Davidson, Ernest Peters, Assessors, Jas. McKenzie, Collector.

1877.

John Bartle, Reeve ; Chas. Bosse, Wm. Gilmore, Chas. Keller, Jr., Chas. S. Macklem, Councillors ; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk ; F.

Fisher, Treasurer ; J. H. Pierce, Isaac Breckon, Assessors ; Jas. McKenzie, Collector.

1878.

John Bartle, Reeve ; Isaac Breckon, Geo. Hummerick, Chas. Keller, Jr., Adam Herbold, Councillors ; John S. Macklem, Treasurer ; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk ; J. H. Pierce, Wm. Gilmore, Assessors ; Jas. McKenzie, Collector.

1879.

C. St. G. Yarwood, Reeve ; Isaac Breckon, Thos. Davidson, Chas. Keller, Jr., A. Herbold, Councillors ; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk ; John S. Macklem, Treasurer ; J. H. Pierce, Wm. Gilmore, Assessors ; Jas. McKenzie, Collector.

1880.

Chas. Keller, Jr., Reeve ; Isaac Breckon, Wm. Gilmore, J. H. Pierce, A. Herbold, Councillors ; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk ; John S. Macklem, Treasurer ; Thos. Davidson, John Bartle, Assessors ; Jas. McKenzie, Collector.

Town Hall built.

1881.

Chas. Keller, Jr., Reeve ; Isaac Breckon, Wm. Gilmore, Adam Herbold, Ernest Peters, Councillors ; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk , John S. Macklem, Treasurer ; C. St. G. Yarwood, George Keller, Assessors ; Jas. McKenzie, Collector.

1882.

*Adam Herbold, Reeve ; John Carter, Wm. Gilmore, Alfred Ives, Chas. Kister, Councillors ; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk ; H. Herber, Treasurer ; J. H. Pierce, Assessor ; Christian Kaumeyer, Collector.

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*Richard Walsh was elected Reeve in January, but resigned within a month.

1883.

Adam Herbold, Reeve ; I. Breckon, H. G. Macklem, Alfred Ives, John Carter, Councillors ; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk ; H. Herber, Treasurer ; J. H. Pierce, Assessor ; Jas. McKenzie, Collector.

1884.

Adam Herbold, Reeve ; I. Breckon, H. G. Macklem, N. Willick, J. Carter, Councillors ; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk ; H. Herber, Treasurer ; Thos. Davidson, Assessor ; Christian Kaumeyer, Collector.

1885.

John Carter, Reeve ; I. Breckon, H. G. Macklem, J. Baxter, Alfred Ives, Councillors ; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk ; J. F. Macklem, Treasurer ; J. F. Pierce, Assessor ; Christian Kaumeyer, Collector.

1886.

H. G. Macklem, Reeve ; J. Baxter, I. Breckon, Wm. Gilmore, A. Johnston, Councillors ; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk ; J. F. Macklem, Treasurer ; David McTigg, Assessor ; Albert Herbold, Collector.

1887.

H. G. Macklem, Reeve ; J. Baxter, I. Breckon, John A. Greenwood, J. H. Pierce, Councillors ; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk ; J. F. Macklem, Treasurer ; Thos. Davidson, Assessor ; Albert Herbold, Collector.

1888.

H. G. Macklem, Reeve ; Albert Herbold, Chas. Kister, John A. Greenwood, J. H. Pierce, Councillors ; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk ; J. F. Macklem, Treasurer ; W. E. B. McKenzie, Assessor ; Jerome Rapeljie, Collector.

1889.

H. G. Macklem, Reeve ; Albert Herbold, Chas. Kister, J. A. Greenwood, J. H. Pierce, Councillors ; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk ; J. F. Macklem, Treasurer ; W. E. B. McKenzie, Assessor ; Jerome Rapeljie, Collector.

1890.

H. G. Macklem, Reeve ; Albert Herbold, Jas. Hazlett, J. A. Greenwood, Christian Kaumeyer, Councillors ; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk ; J. F. Macklem, Treasurer ; W. E. B. McKenzie, Assessor ; Jerome Rapeljie, Collector.

1891.

H. G. Macklem, Reeve ; Albert Herbold, M. C. Dewar, J. A. Greenwood, Alex. McCloy, Councillors ; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk ;

J. F. Macklem, Treasurer; W. E. B. McKenzie, Assessor; Jerome Rapeljie, Collector.

1892.

H. G. Macklem, Reeve; Albert Herbold, M. C. Dewar, J. H. Pierce, Alex. McCloy, Councillors; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk; J. F. Macklem, Treasurer; W. E. B. McKenzie, Assessor; Jerome Rapeljie, Collector.

1893.

H. G. Macklem, Reeve; Albert Herbold, Jas. Hazlett, John A. Greenwood, Alex. McCloy, Councillors; Wm. Greenwood, Clerk; J. F. Macklem, Treasurer; W. E. B. McKenzie, Assessor; Jerome Rapeljie, Collector.

CLIFTON (now NIAGARA FALLS).

Representatives in the County Council.

REEVE:

G. W. McMicking—1856-7-8-9.
E. B. Shears—1860.
H. Crysler—1861-2-3.
W. Woodruff—1864.
Alanson H. Biggar—1865.
John Burns—1866-7.
Sidney Barnett—1868-9.
G. W. Taylor—1870.
Hiram Bender—1871-2.
Sidney Barnett—1873.
Hiram Bender—1874-5.
John Coulson—1876-7-8-9-80-1.

DEPUTY REEVE:

Thos. Wilson—1881.

In the year 1881 the Town of Niagara Falls was separated from the County, as already noted.

CROWLAND.

1843.

Ozias Buchner, John Hellems, David P. Brown, Wardens ; Peter Benedict, Clerk ; Christopher McAlpine, Assessor ; Peter Benedict, Collector ; Solomon Doan, District Councillor.

1844.

Leonard M. Matthews, John Misener, Eli Doan, Wardens ; Peter Benedict, Clerk ; Croil Wilson, Assessor ; Peter Benedict, Collector ; Jacob Brookfield, District Councillor.

1845.

John Hellems, Alfred Brown, Leonard M. Matthews, Wardens ; Peter Benedict, Clerk ; Alexander Reid, Assessor ; Peter Benedict, Collector ; Solomon Doan, District Councillor.

1846.

David P. Brown, James Rock, Eli Doan, Wardens ; Peter Benedict, Clerk ; Peter Benedict, Assessor ; Peter Benedict, Collector ; Solomon Doan, District Councillor.

1847.

David P. Brown, Eli Doan, Leonard M. Matthews, Wardens ; Peter Benedict, Clerk ; Peter Benedict, Assessor ; Peter Benedict, Collector ; Solomon Doan, District Councillor.

1848.

Alexander Reid, Jonathan Dell, Luke Ewers, Wardens ; Peter Benedict, Clerk ; Peter Benedict, Assessor ; Peter Benedict, Collector ; Leonard M. Matthews, District Councillor.

1849.

Eli Doan, David P. Brown, Abner Matthews, Wardens ; Peter Benedict, Clerk ; Peter Benedict, Assessor ; Peter Benedict, Collector ; Leonard M. Matthews, District Councillor.

1850.

Solomon Doan, Reeve ; Leonard M. Matthews, William Vanalstine, Eli Doan, Jacob Current, Councillors ; David P. Brown, Clerk ; Lauren F. Brown, Elisha Misener, Peter Benedict, Assessors ; Alexander Reid, Collector ; Charles Henderson, Treasurer.

1851.

Leonard M. Matthews, Reeve ; David P. Brown, Peter Benedict, John Hellems, Eli Doan, Councillors ; Alexander Reid, Clerk ; Lauren F. Brown, Assessor ; James Henderson, Collector ; E. W. Brookfield, Treasurer.

1852.

Leonard M. Matthews, Reeve ; John Hellems, Eli Doan, Peter Benedict, Francis Wells, Councillors ; Alexander Reid, Clerk ; James Henderson, Treasurer ; Lauren F. Brown, Collector ; Thomas Burgar, Assessor.

1853.

Leonard M. Matthews, Reeve ; John Hellems, Eli Doan, Peter Benedict, Francis Wells, Councillors ; Alexander Reid, Clerk ; Jeremiah Misener, Assessor ; John A. Hellems, Collector ; James Henderson, Treasurer.

1854.

Leonard M. Matthews, Reeve ; Matthew Orr, Andrew Misener, Lauren F. Brown, John Hellems, Councillors ; Alexander Reid, Clerk ; William Carl, Assessor ; John Henderson, Collector ; James Henderson, Treasurer.

1855.

Leonard M. Matthews, Reeve ; Jacob Current, John Brailey, Adolphus Shrigley, Francis Wells, Councillors ; Alexander Reid, Clerk ; Thomas Burgar, Assessor ; William Carl, Collector ; James Henderson, Treasurer.

1856.

Leonard M. Matthews, Reeve ; Jacob Current, John Henderson, Andrew Misener, Daniel McCaw, Councillors ; Alexander Reid, Clerk ; Thomas Burgar, Assessor ; Jacob Wade, Collector ; James Henderson, Treasurer.

1857.

Leonard M. Matthews, Reeve ; Jacob Current, John Henderson, Daniel McCaw, Andrew Misener, Councillors ; Alexander Reid,

Clerk ; Jacob Wade, Assessor ; George Benedict, Collector ; James Henderson, Treasurer.

1858.

William N. Current, Reeve ; John Hellems, Peter Benedict, Leonard M. Matthews, Andrew Misener, Councillors ; Alexander Reid, Clerk ; John Henderson, Assessor ; Samuel W. Buchner, Collector ; James Henderson, Treasurer.

1859.

William N. Current, Reeve ; Andrew Vanalstine, Jacob Griffith, Jacob Yokom, Leonard M. Matthews, Councillors ; Alexander Reid, Clerk ; Jeremiah Misener, Assessor ; George Benedict, Collector ; James Henderson, Treasurer.

1860.

Samuel Clarke, Reeve ; Jacob Yokom, William N. Current, Jacob Griffith, Andrew Misener, Councillors ; Alexander Reid, Clerk ; John Henderson, Assessor ; Thomas Griffith, Collector ; James Henderson, Treasurer.

1861.

Samuel Clarke, Reeve ; William N. Current, David P. Brown, S. W. Buchner, Andrew Misener, Councillors ; E. W. Brookfield, Clerk ; John B. Doan, Assessor ; Thomas Griffith, Collector ; Peter Benedict, Treasurer.

1862.

James Henderson, Reeve ; John Wells, Jacob Current, Frederick Holmes, Councillors ; Alexander Reid, Clerk ; Leonard M. Matthews, Assessor ; Thomas Griffith, Collector ; Peter Benedict, Treasurer.

1863.

James Henderson, Reeve ; John Wells, Frederick Holmes, John Stewart, Jacob Current, Councillors ; Alexander Reid, Clerk ; Wm. P. Yokom, Assessor ; Titus D. Yokom, Collector ; Peter Benedict, Treasurer.

1864.

James Henderson, Reeve ; David Misener, Frederick Holmes, Edwin Morris, John M. C. Misener, Councillors ; Alexander Reid,

Clerk ; Edward Box, Assessor ; John B. Doan, Collector ; Peter Benedict, Treasurer.

1865.

James Henderson, Reeve ; Thomas Dell, Frederick Holmes, W. R. McKinney, David Misener, Councillors ; Alexander Reid, Clerk ; Daniel Young, Assessor ; Francis Seger, Collector ; Peter Benedict, Treasurer.

1866.

Samuel Clarke, Reeve ; John Wells, S. W. Buchner, David P. Brown, David Segar, Councillors ; Gilbert Cook, Clerk ; Jacob Richards, Assessor ; Thos. Griffith, Collector ; Peter Benedict, Treasurer.

1867.

Samuel Clarke, Reeve ; David D. Segar, John Stewart, John M. C. Misener, David P. Brown, Councillors ; Gilbert Cook, Clerk ; Thomas Griffith, Assessor ; William Misener, Collector ; Henry Buchner, Treasurer.

1868.

James Henderson, Reeve ; Abner Matthews, John Findlay, Robert Cruickshank, S. W. Buchner, Councillors ; E. W. Brookfield, Clerk ; Edward Box, Assessor ; David Stewart, Collector ; Henry Buchner, Treasurer.

1869.

James Henderson, Reeve ; Jesse O. Dell, John Findlay, Abner Matthews, Alexander Asher, Councillors ; E. W. Brookfield, Clerk ; David Misener, Assessor ; David Stewart, Collector ; Peter Benedict, Treasurer.

1870.

William Buchner, Reeve ; Jesse O. Dell, Abner Matthews, David Misener, Wallace Tufts, Councillors ; E. W. Brookfield, Clerk; Freeman Ewers, Assessor ; Henry G. Buchner, Collector ; Peter Benedict, Treasurer.

1871.

William Buchner, Reeve ; Jacob L. Dell, Abner Matthews, David Misener, Wallace Tufts, Councillors ; E. W. Brookfield,

Clerk; James Henderson, Assessor; Henry Buchner, Collector; Peter Benedict, Treasurer.

1872.

Wallace Tufts, Reeve; Thomas Current, Francis Segar, Jacob L. Dell, L. M. Matthews, Councillors; E. W. Brookfield, Clerk; Wilson Griffith, Assessor; David D. Segar, Collector; Peter Benedict, Treasurer.

1873.

Wallace Tufts, Reeve; L. M. Matthews, Francis Segar, Thomas Current, Jacob L. Dell, Councillors; George Benedict, Clerk; John McIntyre, Assessor; Oliver Young, Collector; Peter Benedict, Treasurer.

1874.

John Henderson, Reeve; James Asher, Jacob L. Dell, Mahlon Springer, Thomas Current, Councillors; George Benedict, Clerk; Daniel Young, Assessor; Oliver Young, Collector; Peter Benedict, Treasurer.

1875.

John Henderson, Reeve; Edward Box, James Asher, Jacob L. Dell, Mahlon Springer, Councillors; George Benedict, Clerk; L. M. Matthews, Assessor; Clark Yokom, Collector; Peter Benedict, Treasurer.

1876.

David Misener, Reeve; William C. Jenkinson, Clark Doan, W. R. McKinney, James Yokom, Councillors; George Benedict, Clerk; John McIntyre, Assessor; John Hill, Collector; Henry O. Buchner, Treasurer.

1877.

David Misener, Reeve; H. N. Dell, Jesse O. Dell, Clark Doan, W. R. McKinney, Councillors; E. W. Brookfield, Clerk; Brock Yokom, Assessor; James W. Vanalstine, Collector; Henry O. Buchner, Treasurer.

1878.

William Buchner, Reeve; H. N. Dell, Jesse O. Dell, John

Clarkson, J. W. Vanalstine, Councillors; E. W. Brookfield, Clerk; Paul W. Horton, Assessor; Walter S. Elliott, Collector; Luther Boardman, Treasurer.

1879.

William Buchner, Reeve; J. W. Vanalstine, Matthew Orr, James Asher, J. L. Dell, Councillors; Alexander Reid, Clerk; Mahlon Springer, Assessor; Walter S. Elliot, Collector; Luther Boardman, Treasurer.

1880.

Edwin Morris, Reeve; James Asher, John Hill, William Hanna, George Young, Councillors; Alexander Reid, Clerk; Melvin B. Misener, Assessor; Charles Bullock, Collector; Henry O. Buchner, Treasurer.

1881.

Edwin Morris, Reeve; Matthew Orr, John Hill, Daniel Young, George Young, Councillors; Alexander Reid, Clerk; Wilson Griffith, Assessor; Chas. Bullock, Collector; Henry O. Buchner, Treasurer.

1882.

James J. Yokom, Reeve; John W. Current, Henry Hilsle, George Shisler, James Sharp, Councillors; Alexander Reid, Clerk; Mahlon Springer, Assessor; Robert Findlay, Collector; Luther Boardman, Treasurer.

1883.

James J. Yokom, Reeve; George Shisler, William Toyne, William Holder, J. L. Dell, Councillors; Alexander Reid, Clerk; Mahlon Springer, Assessor; Henry Buchner, Collector; Luther Boardman, Treasurer.

1884.

John McIntyre, Reeve; Wm. H. Biggar, Robert Findlay, John Tufts, Leslie Young, Councillors; Alexander Reid, Clerk; Joseph Phillips, Assessor; James H. Cruickshank, Collector; Luther Boardman, Treasurer.

1885.

John McIntyre, Reeve; Wm. H. Biggar, Rolph Beckett, Robert Findlay, John D. Wilson, Councillors; Alexander Reid, Clerk;

Mahlon Springer, Assessor ; Michael McDermot, Collector ; Luther Boardman, Treasurer.

1886.

Mahlon Springer, Reeve ; Rolph Beckett, Adoram Misener, Melvin Misener, John D. Wilson, Councillors ; Alexander Reid, Clerk ; J. N. Clarkson, Assessor ; Wm. R. McKenney, Collector ; Luther Boardman, Treasurer.

1887.

James Henderson, Reeve ; Charles Bullock, John D. Wilson, J. W. Vanalstine, Hiram Strawn, Councillors ; Alexander Reid, Clerk ; Freeman Ewers, Assessor ; Almon Skinner, Collector ; Luther Boardman, Treasurer.

1888.

William H. Biggar, Reeve ; Charles Bullock, Joseph Phillips, Hiram Strawn, J. W. Vanalstine, Councillors ; Alexander Reid, Clerk; Simeon Haines, Assessor ; Almon O. Skinner, Collector ; Luther Boardman, Treasurer.

1889.

James Henderson, Reeve ; H. H. Kottmeir, W. R. McKenney, Andrew Robertson, John D. Wilson, Councillors : Alexander Reid, Clerk ; Oliver Young, Assessor ; Titus D. Yokom, Collector ; Luther Boardman, Treasurer.

1890.

James W. Vanalstine, Reeve ; H. H. Kottmeir, James McLaughlin, John Orr, John D. Wilson, Councillors ; Alexander Reid, Clerk ; Hiram Shisler, Assessor ; Thomas Sibbett, Collector ; Luther Boardman, Treasurer.

1891.

James W. Vanalstine, Reeve ; John D. Wilson, Andrew Robertson, John Orr, James McLaughlin, Councillors ; Alexander Reid, Clerk ; Jabez Clarkson, Assessor ; Thomas Sibbett, Collector ; Luther Boardman, Treasurer.

1892.

John Orr, Reeve ; John F. Carl, Leonard Buckton, John K.

Henderson, John C. Hill, Councillors; Alexander Reid, Clerk; Melvin B. Misener, Assessor; Charles Bullock, Collector; Luther Boardman, Treasurer.

1893.

John Orr, Reeve; John F. Carl, Leonard Buckton, John K. Henderson, John C. Hill, Councillors; James Henderson, Clerk; Melvin B. Misener, Assessor; Charles Bullock, Collector; Luther Boardman, Treasurer.

By-Laws of Crowland.

1850.

To levy a tax on dogs.

To regulate driving or riding over bridges.

To prevent cattle running at large.

To suppress the growing of noxious weeds.

1851.

To regulate rules for taverns.

To authorize the cutting down of timber on side roads.

1854.

To fine the owner of geese and other poultry doing damage.

1856.

To distribute the money arising from clergy reserves to the different school sections.

1866.

Granting $100 to the Welland Canal Field Battery as a testimonial.

1869.

Subdividing the Township of Crowland into electoral divisions.

1871.

A memorial asking for the removal of registry office from Fonthill to Welland.

1876.

Establishing the height of lawful fences.

1879.

To prevent parties from obstructing water-courses with brush or otherwise.

1880.

Regulating victualling houses for the public.

1881.

To prevent cattle and hogs from running at large.

1884.

Appointing local board of health.

1885.

Appointing a Township Engineer.

Imposing a fine on cattle running at large,

1886.

Fixing a maximum value on each sheep or lamb killed by dogs.

1887.

Appointing a Sheep Inspector or Valuator.

Granting the privilege to certain parties to construct a street railway in the Township of Crowland.

1889.

Granting the privilege to the Provincial Gas company to lay pipes on the public highway.

FORT ERIE.

1857.

Alexander Douglas, Reeve; Wm. Clark, John Cronyn, Wm. Russell, John W. Lewis, Councillors.

1858.

Alexander Douglas, Reeve; Wm. Russell, Wm. Wallace, N. Forsyth, John W. Lewis, Councillors.

Peter T. Kempson elected as Councillor July 5th, 1858, to fill vacancy caused by death of J. W. Lewis.

W. A. Thompson elected Dec. 15th, 1858, to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Wm. Wallace.

1859.

Dr. John Cronyn, Reeve; Jacob Troup, Kenneth McKenzie, David Hardison, Wilson Lennox, Councillors.

1860.

Peter T. Kempson, Reeve ; Alexander Douglas, Wm. Russell, Wm. Clark, Nelson Forsyth, Councillors.

1861.

Peter T. Kempson, Reeve ; Nelson Forsyth, (resigned 6th March, 1861) ; Wm. Russell, Wm. Clark ; Benj. F. Thompson, (resigned 6th March, 1861), Councillors.

This Council removed by Sheriff Hobson, 18th April.

Council from 25th of April, 1861.

Nelson Forsyth, Reeve ; Alexander Douglas, Wm. Clark, Owen Mathews, Benj. F. Thompson, Councillors.

1862.

Peter T. Kempson, Reeve ; John Douglas, Wm. Rainsford, M. O'Donohoe, Wm. Hanson, Councillors.

1863.

N. Forsyth, Reeve ; John Douglas, Wm. Clark, Owen Matthews, Francis Ellwood, Councillors.

1864.

Nelson Forsyth, Reeve ; John Douglas, Francis Ellwood, Wm. Russell, M. O'Donohoe, Councillors.

1865.

Nelson Forsyth, Reeve ; John Douglas, Francis Ellwood, John Warren, Owen Matthews, Councillors.

1866.

Dr. P. T. Kempson, Reeve ; Wm. Russell, Peter Schryer, John Douglas, Charles Treble, Councillors.

1867.

Charles Treble, Reeve ; Wm. Russell, John Douglas, Wm. Rainsford, Wm. Chambers, Councillors.

1868.

Charles Treble, Reeve ; Wm. Russell, Henry Harris, Henry H. Smith, Peter Schryer, Councillors.

1869.

Charles Treble, Reeve; Wm. Russell, Henry Harris, H. H. Smith, Peter Schryer, Councillors.

1870.

Charles Treble, Reeve; Wm. Russell, Henry Harris, H. H. Smith, Peter Schryer, Councillors.

1871.

Charles Treble, Reeve; Wm. Russell, Jos. Goulding, Thomas Bardgett, Peter Schryer, Councillors.

1872.

Wm. Eden, Reeve; Henry Harris, H. H. Smith, Jos. Goulding, Peter Schryer, Councillors.

1873.

Charles Treble, Reeve; Henry Harris, B. F. Thompson, H. H. Smith, Francis Ellwood, Councillors.

1874.

Charles Treble, Reeve; Henry Harris, Wm. Russell, B. F. Thompson, John C. Kohl, Councillors.

1875.

Nelson Forsyth, Reeve; B. F. Thompson, Orange Schryer, Henry Harris, Dr. Wm. Douglas, Councillors.

1876.

Nelson Forsyth, Reeve; Wm. Russell, Wm. Baldwin, Thomas Rainey, Henry J. Fleege, Councillors.

1877.

Nelson Forsyth, Reeve; Robt. Magwood, Thos. Rainey, John Paulus, H. H. Smith, Councillors. Upon Robt. Magwood resigning, Robt. Mason was elected in his place.

1878.

Ernest Cruikshank, Reeve; Orange Schryer, H. H. Smith, Jonas Sherk, Robert Mason, Councillors.

1879.

Ernest Cruikshank, Reeve; Orange Schryer, James Bardgett, Jonas Sherk, John Paulus, Councillors.

1880.

Ernest Cruikshank, Reeve; Orange Schryer, H. H. Smith, Jas. Bardgett, Thos. Quinlan, Councillors.

1881.

Ernest Cruikshank, Reeve; H. H. Smith, Thos. Quinlan, James Bardgett, John Paulus, Councillors. May 7th—John Paulus' seat declared vacant for non-attendance, and Wm. Russell elected in his place.

1882.

Ernest Cruikshank, Reeve; Wm. Russell, Jonas Sherk, Dr. Wm. Douglas, George Lewis, Councillors.

1883.

Nelson Forsyth, Reeve; Wm. Russell, George Lewis, Wm. Douglas, John Donohoe, Councillors.

1884.

Nelson Forsyth, Reeve; Edwy Baxter, Robt. Mason, Thomas Rainey, Sr., Joseph Wells, Councillors.

1885.

Ernest Cruikshank, Reeve; Edwy Baxter, George Lewis, Robt. Mason, Joseph Wells, Councillors.

1886.

Ernest Cruikshank, Reeve; Wm. Douglas, Richard Hinton, Henry H. Smith, Jonas Sherk, Councillors.

1887.

Ernest Cruikshank, Reeve; Wm. Douglas, Chapin J. Metcalf, Jonas Sherk, Edward Sowersby, Councillors.

1888.

Chas. Treble, Reeve; James Day, Jacob Foreman, Jonas Sherk, Edward Sowersby, Councillors.

1889.

Ernest Cruikshank, Reeve; James Day, Thos. Rainey, Edward Sowersby, Charles Viall, Sr., Councillors.

1890.

Ernest Cruikshank, Reeve ; John Kay, Thos. Rainey, Edward Sowersby, Chas. Viall, Sr., Councillors.

1891.

Ernest Cruikshank, Reeve ; Edward Sowersby, Thomas Rainey, Chas. Viall, John Kay, Councillors.

1892.

Ernest Cruikshank, Reeve; Benjamin Barnhart, Edward Hawkins, Edward Sowersby, Charles Viall, Councillors.

1893.

Ernest Cruikshank, Reeve ; Edward Sowersby, Geo. A. Clark, Benjamin Barnhart, Edward Hawkins, Councillors.

Appointed Officers.

1857-93.

Clerk—James Stanton, from July, 1857, to Nov., 1860.
Clerk—George Lewis, from Nov., 1860, to Feb., 1876.
Clerk—Augus McDonald, from Feb., 1876, to Feb., 1877.
Clerk—Francis Rose, from Feb., 1877, to April, 1878.
Clerk—Angus McDonald, from April, 1878, to Oct., 1880.
Clerk—William Hall, from Oct., 1880, to Feb., 1885.
Clerk—Samuel Porter, from Feb., 1885, to Jan. 1886.
Clerk—William Hall, from Jan., 1886, to May, 1886.
Clerk—James Battley, from May, 1886, to June, 1890.
Clerk—Paul Beam, from June, 1890, to Jan., 1892.
Clerk—W. E. Edwards, from Jan., 1892——
Treasurer—James Stanton, from Sept., 1857, to June, 1863.
Treasurer—Richard Graham, from June, 1863, to March, 1877.
Treasurer—Ernest Cruikshank, from May, 1877, to Jan., 1878.
Treasurer—William Rainsford, from Jan., 1878——
Collector—David Hardison, year 1857.
Collector—John Clark, year 1858.
Collector—George Burger, years 1859-60.
Collector—C. B. Ellsworth, years 1861-2-3-4.

Collector—George Lewis, years 1865-6-7.
Collector—Benjamin Turner, year 1868.
Collector—Wm. Eden, year 1869.
Collector—George Lewis, year 1870.
Collector—Francis Rose, year 1871.
Collector—George Lewis, years 1872-3-4-5.
Collector—John C. Kohl, year 1876.
Collector—Francis Rose, year 1877.
Collector—John C. Kohl, years 1878-9-80-1-2-3.
Collector—Wm. M. Baldwin, year 1884.
Collector—Henry Harris, years 1885-6-7-8-9-90-1.
Collector—Wm. M. Baldwin, year 1892.
Assessors—Wm. A. Thompson, Wm. Rainsford, Jr., and James Stanton, year 1858.
Assessor—James Stanton, 1859-60.
Assessor—Wm. A. Thompson, 1861.
Assessor—James Stanton, 1862.
Assessor—Wm. Stockdale, 1863.
Assessor—John Warren, 1864.
Assessor—Wm. Rainsford, 1865.
Assessor—George Lewis, 1866.
Assessor—Nelson Forsyth, 1867.
Assessor—Wm. Eden, 1868.
Assessor—Nelson Forsyth, 1869.
Assessor—George Lewis, 1870-1-2-3-4-5-6.
Assessor—James Eadie, 1877.
Assessor—Wm. M. Baldwin, 1878.
Assessor—Francis Rose, 1879-80.
Assessor—Henry Harris, 1881-82.
Assessor—Wm. Eden, 1883-4-5.
Assessor—John C. Kohl, 1886-7.
Assessor—Samuel Porter, 1888.
Assessor—Richard Griffin, 1889.
Assessor—B. F. Matthews, 1890-1-2-3.

Principal By-Laws Passed since Incorporation.

By-law No. 1—To adopt and provide a corporate or common seal—passed Sept. 1st, 1857.

By-law No. 2—For regulating the proceedings of the municipal council—passed Sept. 1st, 1857.

By-law No. 5—For regulating and governing auctioneers and persons keeping billiard tables—passed Sept. 1st, 1857.

By-law No. 9—To appoint a board of health—passed Sept. 8th, 1857.

By-law No. 10—To define the duties of municipal officers—passed Sept. 8th, 1857.

By-law No. 11—For the order and good government of the village—passed Sept. 15, 1857.

By-law No. 39—To raise by way of loan the sum of one thousand pounds for the purpose of taking stock in the Fort Erie Railway Co.—passed April 30th, 1860.

By-law No. 56—To raise by way of loan the sum of $1000 for the erection of a new school house—passed July 24th, 1863.

By-law No. 62—To provide for the remuneration of councillors—passed Jan. 18th, 1864.

By-law No. 90—To appropriate a sum of money out of village funds to aid in erecting a drill shed—passed Oct. 10th, 1867.

By-law No. 128—For the suppression of gambling in the village—passed Nov. 15th, 1873.

By-law No. 129—Relating to bakers and the baking and selling of bread—passed Nov. 15th, 1873.

By-law No. 183—Relative to public morals—passed May 11th, 1882.

By-law No. 214—Respecting lease of Old Fort lands for public park—passed Oct. 1st, 1887.

By-law No. 231—Granting privilege to lay pipes for conveyance of natural gas—passed Dec. 6th, 1890.

By-law No. 240—To raise by loan the sum of $10,000 to erect town hall—passed April 28th, 1892.

HUMBERSTONE.

1850.

William Steele, Town Reeve; David Steele, Christian Sherk, Abraham Schooley, Samuel Stoner, Councillors.

FEB. 12TH, 1850—APPOINTMENT OF OFFICERS, VIZ.:

John Thompson, Clerk; Owen Fares, Michael Sherk, David Stoner, Assessors; John Thompson, Treasurer; Joseph Augustine, Collector.

1851.

William Steele, Town Reeve; Joseph Augustine, David Ramey, Joseph Stoner, Edwin Smith, Councillors; Owen Fares, Alem Bender, Horace S. Olmstead, Assessors; David Steele, Sr., Collector for 1st, 2nd and 3rd concessions; Reuben Green, Collector for 4th and 5th concessions.

1852.

Daniel Near, Town Reeve; Christian White, Abraham Neff, Reuben Green, Andrew Sherk, Councillors; Samuel Stoner, Assessor; Christian Sherk, Collector.

1853.

Owen Fares, Town Reeve; David Steele, Levi Learn, Jacob Stoner, Elias Sherk, Councillors; William Steele, Assessor; Levi Learn, Collector.

1854.

Edwin Smith, Town Reeve; Levi Cornwall, Jacob Stoner, John Scholfield, Christian Sherk, Councillors; Lewis G. Carter, Assessor; Joseph Stoner, Collector.

1855.

Daniel Near, Town Reeve; John Gordon, Jesse Zavitz, Jacob I. Benner, M. F. Haney, M. D., Councillors; Samuel Stoner, Assessor; Edward Lawder, Collector; Amos L. Haun, Treasurer.

1856.

Daniel Near, Town Reeve; Christian White, Christian Sherk, Edward Lawder, John Jordon, Councillors; Gilbert Schooley, Assessor; Jonas Weaver, Collector.

1857.

Daniel Near, Town Reeve; John Gordon, Gordon Wilson, Andrew Sherk, Jesse Zavitz, Councillors; Archibald Dobbie, Assessor; Samuel Pound, Collector.

1858.

Jesse Zavitz, Town Reeve; Daniel Near, Gilbert Schooley, Thomas Armstrong, Jonas Weaver, Councillors; Edwin Smith, Assessor; Jonas Neff, Collector; Dr. Mathew F. Haney, Treasurer.

1859.

Jesse Zavitz, Reeve; Daniel Near, Robert Patterson, Lewis G. Carter, Jonas Weaver, Councillors; Edwin Smith, Assessor; Christian Sherk, Collector.

1860.

Wm. Mellanby, Reeve; J. W. Verner, Jacob I. Benner, Noah Lee, John Weaver, Councillors; Joseph Stoner, Assessor; Gilbert Schooley, Collector; Daniel Near, Township Clerk.

1861.

Wm. Mellanby, Reeve; John W. Verner, John Weaver, Jacob I. Benner, Noah Lee, Councillors; Joseph Stoner, Assessor; Abraham Near, Collector.

1862.

Wm. Mellanby, Reeve; Jacob I. Benner, John Weaver, John Mathews, Mathias Kaufman, Councillors; Emanuel W. Fares, Assessor; Gilbert Schooley, Collector.

1863.

John Weaver, Reeve; Jacob I. Benner, Deputy-Reeve; Alex. Lawson, Isaac Fares, Mathias Kaufman, Councillors; Joseph Stoner, Assessor; John A. Gram, Collector; James B. Neff, Treasurer.

1864.

Jacob I. Benner, Reeve; Reuben Green, Deputy-Reeve; George Whiteman, John Gordon, Wm. Mellanby, Councillors; E. W. Fares, Assessor; Gilbert Schooley, Collector.

1865.

George Whiteman, Reeve; Thomas Greenwood, Deputy Reeve; Jacob I. Benner, Matthew F. Haney, Reuben Green, Councillors;

John C. Karr, Assessor; Edward Brookfield, Collector; Henry Cronmiller, Treasurer.

1866.

Thomas Scholfield, Reeve; Reuben Green, Deputy Reeve; Jacob I. Benner, George Whiteman, M. F. Haney, Councillors; Abraham Near, Assessor; Jesse Zavitz, Collector.

1867.

Thomas Scholfield, Reeve; George Whiteman, Deputy Reeve; Nelson Doan, M. F. Haney, Reuben Green, Councillors; Emanuel W. Fares, Assessor; Abraham Near, Collector.

1868.

Matthew F. Haney, Reeve; John Matthews, Deputy Reeve; Nelson Doan, Matthias Steele, Jesse Zavitz, Councillors; Gordon Wilson, Assessor; Christian Sherk, Collector.

1869.

Mathew F. Haney, Reeve; John C. Karr, Deputy Reeve; Nelson Doan, Elisha Furry, Mathias Steele, Councillors; Isaac Misener, Assessor; John A. Gram, Collector.

1870.

Mathew F. Haney, Reeve; Jesse Zavitz, Deputy Reeve; George Smith, Nelson Doan, Jacob Schneider, Councillors; Joseph Stoner, Assessor; Lewis Miller, Collector.

1871.

Mathew F. Haney, Reeve; Geo. Smith, John Whiteman, Lewis Ganger, Jacob Schneider, Councillors; Jesse Zavitz, Assessor; Jonas Neff, Collector.

1872.

Wm. Mellanby, Reeve; Geo. Smith, John Whiteman, Lewis Ganger, Jacob Schihl, Councillors; Joseph Stoner, Assessor; John A. Gram, Collector.

1873.

Wm. Mellanby, Reeve; Jesse Zavitz, Deputy Reeve; John A. Ramsden, Louis Ganger, Jacob Schihl, Councillors; Abraham Near, Assessor; John A. Gram, Collector; Charles A. White, Treasurer.

1874.

Wm. Mellanby, Reeve ; Jesse Zavitz, Deputy Reeve ; John A. Ramsden, Louis Ganger, Jacob Schihl, Councillors ; David S. Sherk, Assessor ; John A. Gram, Collector.

1875.

Jesse Zavitz, Reeve ; John A. Ramsden, Deputy Reeve ; Louis Ganger, Abram Ramey, Jacob Schihl, Councillors ; David S. Sherk, Assessor ; John Blundy, Collector.

1876.

Wm. Mellanby, Reeve ; Elisha Furry, Deputy Reeve ; Nelson Doan, Christian Steele, Jacob Schihl, Councillors ; Elias Liedy, Assessor ; John A. Gram, Collector ; George Whiteman, Treasurer.

1877.

Wm. Mellanby, Reeve ; Elisha Furry, Deputy Reeve ; Nelson Doan, Abram Ramey, Jacob Schihl, Councillors ; John Koable, Assessor ; David Liedy, Collector ; Henry B. Snider, Treasurer.

1878.

Emanuel W. Fares, Reeve ; John A. Ramsden, Deputy Reeve ; Nelson Doan, Abram Ramey, Christian Steele, Councillors ; Jacob M. Sherk, Assessor ; David Liedy, Collector.

1879.

Elisha Furry, Reeve ; John A. Ramsden, Deputy Reeve ; Nelson Doan, John M. Ellsworth, Jacob Schihl, Councillors ; Jacob Miller, Assessor ; Jacob M. Sherk, Collector.

1880.

Elisha Furry, Reeve ; John A. Ramsden, Deputy Reeve ; Nelson Doan, Christian Steele, Jacob Schihl, Councillors ; Henry B. Zavitz, Assessor ; Abraham Near, Collector.

1881.

Elisha Furry, Reeve ; John A. Ramsden, Deputy Reeve ; Christian Steele, Jacob Schihl, James Harper, Councillors ; David S. Sherk, Assessor ; Louis Ganger, Collector.

1882.

Elisha Furry, Reeve ; John A. Ramsden, Deputy Reeve ; Chris-

tian Steele, Jacob Schihl, Elihu Neff, Councillors; E. W. Fares, Assessor; Philip Carrier, Collector.

1883.

John A. Ramsden, Reeve; Elihu Neff, Deputy Reeve; Abram Ramey, Jacob Schihl, George Zimmerman, Councillors; James O. Rose, Assessor; John W. Nidle, Collector.

1884.

John A. Ramsden, Reeve; Elihu Neff, Deputy Reeve; Jacob Schihl, Abram Ramey, George Zimmerman, Councillors; David S. Sherk, Assessor; Alonzo Zavitz, Collector.

1885.

John A. Ramsden, Reeve; Elihu Neff, Deputy Reeve; Jacob Schihl, Elihu Kinsey, Henry D. Suess, Councillors; David S. Sherk, Assessor; Wm. G. Knoll, Collector.

1886.

John A. Ramsden, Reeve; Elihu Neff, Deputy Reeve; Jacob Schihl, Elihu Kinsey, Henry D. Suess, Councillors; George Zimmerman, Assessor; Aaron Sherk, Collector.

1887.

John A. Ramsden, Reeve; Elihu Neff, Deputy Reeve; Jacob Schihl, Elihu Kinsey, David Utz, Councillors, John W. Nidle, Assessor; Edward N. Near, Collector; R. H. Appleyard, Treasurer.

1888.

John A. Ramsden, Reeve; Geo. Zimmerman, Deputy Reeve; Jacob Schihl, Elihu Kinsey, David Utz, Councillors; David S. Sherk, Assessor; August Kleinsmith, Collector.

1889.

John A. Ramsden, Reeve; Elihu Neff, Deputy Reeve; Elihu Kinsey, Charles W. Nugent, David Utz, Councillors; Charles B. White, Assessor; Edward N. Near, Collector.

1890.

Henry D. Suess, Reeve; George Zimmerman, Deputy Reeve; John W. Nidle, Adam Stouth, David Utz, Councillors; Charles B. White, Assessor; Aaron Sherk, Collector; Albert E. Near, Clerk.

1891.

Henry D. Suess, Reeve; George Zimmerman, Deputy Reeve; Adam Stouth, David Utz, John W. Nidle, Councillors; Aaron Sherk, Assessor; Wilson Doan, Collector.

1892.

Emanuel W. Fares, Reeve; Christian Steele, Deputy Reeve; Jacob Miller, Jno. Seitz, E. R. Learn, Councillors; Wm. F. Schooley, Assessor; August Kleinsmith, Collector.

1893.

Emanuel W. Fares, Reeve; Christian Steele, Deputy Reeve; Jacob Miller, John Seitz, Elmon R. Learn, Councillors; Aaron Sherk, Assessor; Edward T. Green, Collector.

By-Laws.

No. 3—To restrain certain descriptions of cattle from running at large; 12th February, 1850, amended by No. 48.

No. 35—To establish a site for a town hall, 29th December, 1851.

No. 38—To raise money to build a town hall, 17th January, 1852.

No. 112—To restrain cattle from running at large, 1st May, 1859.

VILLAGE OF NIAGARA FALLS.

INCORPORATED, 1882.

William Russell, Reeve; George Rysdale, Frederick Fischer, James Willox, Henry Brown, Councillors; William Spence, Clerk; Benjamin Spencer, Assessor; Theodore W. Woodruff, Treasurer.

1883.

William Russell, Reeve; George Rysdale, Henry Brown, Marsena Bigger, Frederick Fischer, Councillors; William Spence, Clerk; Benjamin Spencer, Assessor; Theodore W. Woodruff, Treasurer.

1884.

George Shrimpton, Reeve; Henry Brown, Robert Fralick, George W. Duncan, John Campbell, Councillors; John Roberts, Clerk; Benjamin Spencer, Assessor; Theodore W. Woodruff, Treasurer.

1885.

George Shrimpton, Reeve; Henry Brown, W. F. Ellis, G. W. Duncan, Robert Fralick, Councillors; John Roberts, Clerk; Samuel Patten, Assessor; Theodore W. Woodruff, Treasurer.

1886.

George Shrimpton, Reeve; Henry Brown, Walter Waite, Burr Plato, Chas. Hiller, Councillors; John Roberts, Clerk; James M. Douglas, Assessor; Theodore W. Woodruff, Treasurer.

1887.

George Shrimpton, Reeve; Samuel Patten, Walter Waite, Burr Plato, George Brundage, Councillors; John Roberts, Clerk; Willoughby Whistler, Assessor; Theodore W. Woodruff, Treasurer.

1888.

George Shrimpton, Reeve; Samuel Patten, William Russell, James Woolnough, Sr., Burr Plato, Councillors; John Roberts, Clerk; George Matheson, Assessor; T. W. Woodruff, Treasurer.

1889.

George Shrimpton, Reeve; Samuel Patten, Marsena Bigger, James M. Douglas, Frank E. Dalton, Councillors; M. B. Morris, Clerk; George Matheson, Assessor; T. W. Woodruff, Treasurer.

1890.

George Shrimpton, Reeve; Samuel Patten, Marsena Bigger, James M. Douglas, Frank E. Dalton, Councillors; M. B. Morris, Clerk; Frank P. Sumner, Assessor; Robert W. Fralick, Treasurer.

1891.

Samuel Patten, Reeve; H. G. A. Cook, Albert Bullock, George Whatley, Marsena Bigger, Councillors; M. B. Morris, Clerk; Benjamin Spencer, Assessor; Robert W. Fralick, Treasurer.

1892.

James A. Lowell, Reeve ; Samuel Patten, H. G. A. Cook, James Woolnough, Sr., Frank E. Dalton, Councillors ; M. B. Morris, Clerk; George Shrimpton, Assessor ; Robert W. Fralick, Treasurer.

1893.

H. G. A. Cook, Reeve ; James Woolnough, Sr., Robert L. Macfarlane, James M. Douglas, Burr Plato, Councillors ; M. B. Morris, Clerk ; Ralph Garner, Assessor; Robert W. Fralick, Treasurer.

PELHAM.

1850.

Dr. John Frazer, Reeve ; John Scholfield, John F. Schram, Jonas Steele, Lewis Willson, Councillors ; Dexter D'Everardo, Clerk ; John S. Price, Treasurer ; Samuel Beckett, Collector ; John Snure, Daniel Willson, A. B. Chapman, Assessors.

1851.

John Scholfield, Reeve—resigned in November, and was succeeded by Dr. John Frazer ; A. B. Chapman, Dr. John Frazer, Jonas Steele, John Snure, Councillors ; D. D'Everardo, Clerk ; John S. Price, Treasurer ; James H. Price, Collector ; Henry Disher, J. Parmer Buckbee, Whitson C. Moore, Assessors.

1852.

Dr. John Frazer, Reeve ; A. B. Chapman, Jacob Crow, Jr., Peter Metler, Sr., Whitson C. Moore, Councillors ; D. D'Everardo, Clerk ; John S. Price, Treasurer ; John Snure, Collector ; Henry Disher, Assessor.

1853.

Dr. John Frazer, Reeve ; A. B. Chapman, Jacob Crow, Jr., Peter Metler, Sr., Whitson C. Moore, Councillors ; D. D'Everardo, Clerk ; John S. Price, Treasurer ; Henry Disher, Collector ; John Snure, Assessor.

1854.

Dr. John Frazer, Reeve ; A. B. Chapman, Jacob Crow, Jr., Peter Metler, Sr., Whitson C. Moore, Councillors ; D. D'Everardo, Clerk ;

John S. Price, Treasurer ; Andrew J. Culbertson, Collector ; Andrew J. Culbertson, Samuel Rice, Assessors.

1855.

Dr. John Frazer, Reeve ; Jacob Crow, Jr., John Ray, John Scholfield, Lewis Wilson, Councillors ; D. D'Everardo, Clerk ; John S. Price, Treasurer; Peter Beckett, Collector; A. B. Chapman, Assessor.

1856.

Dr. John Frazer, Reeve ; Peter Beckett, Jr., Parmer Buckbee, John Scholfield, Lewis Wilson, Councillors ; D. D'Everardo, Clerk ; John S. Price, Treasurer ; John F. Schram, Collector ; James E. Hutt, Assessor.

1857.

John Scholfield, Reeve ; Peter Beckett, Jr., James E. Hutt, Robert G. Kilman, Councillors ; D. D'Everardo, Clerk ; John S. Price, Treasurer ; Samuel Beckett, Collector, Eli R. Hyatt, Assessor.

1858.

Peter Beckett, Jr., Reeve ; Joseph Garner, John McGlashan, Jabez D. Oill, John Phillips, Councillors ; D. D'Everardo, Clerk ; John S. Price, Treasurer ; Robt. D. Casselman, Collector ; John McGlashan, Jr., Assessor.

1859.

Moses Metler, Reeve ; R. D. Casselman, Jabez D. Oill, John Phillips, John Ray, Councillors ; John B. Crow, Clerk ; John S. Price, Treasurer ; Daniel W. Metler, Collector ; Samuel Beckett, Assessor.

1860.

Moses Metler, Reeve ; R. D. Casselman, Deputy Reeve ; Peter Beckett, Jr., Joseph Garner, Jabez D. Oill, Councillors ; John B. Crow, Clerk ; John S. Price, Treasurer, succeeded after his death by Samuel Beckett ; Wm. Haney, Collector ; Samuel Beckett, Assessor.

1861.

Moses Metler, Reeve ; R. D. Casselman, Deputy Reeve ; Peter Beckett, Jr., Joseph Garner, Jabez D. Oill, Councillors ; John B. Crow, Clerk ; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer ; J. R. Henderson, Collector ; Eli R. Hyatt, Assessor.

1862.

R. D. Casselman, Reeve; Peter Beckett, Jr., Deputy Reeve; Joseph Garner, Moses Metler, Jabez D. Oill, Councillors; John B. Crow, Clerk; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer; Jacob Crow, Collector; Eli R. Hyatt, Assessor.

1863.

Joseph Garner, Reeve; Andrew Kennedy, Deputy Reeve; Peter Beckett, Jr., R. D. Casselman, D. C. Roland, Councillors; John B. Crow, Clerk; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer; Eli R. Hyatt, Collector; John McGlashan, Assessor.

1864.

Joseph Garner, Reeve; Andrew Kennedy, Deputy Reeve; Peter Beckett, Jr., R. D. Casselman, D. C. Roland, Councillors; John B. Crow, Clerk; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer; E. Woodruff Metler, Collector; James E. Hutt, Assessor.

1865.

Joseph Garner, Reeve; Andrew Kennedy, Deputy Reeve; Peter Beckett, Jr., R. D. Casselman, D. C. Roland, Councillors; John B. Crow, Clerk; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer; George W. Haney, Collector; Eli R. Hyatt, Assessor.

1866.

Joseph Garner, Reeve; Peter Beckett, Deputy Reeve; E. Woodruff Metler, D. C. Roland, Josiah Ward, Councillors; John B. Crow, Clerk; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer; J. R. Henderson, Collector; Eli R. Hyatt, Assessor.

1867.

Joseph Garner, Reeve; Peter Beckett, Deputy Reeve; John Beckett, E. Woodruff Metler, D. C. Roland, Councillors; John B. Crow, Clerk; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer; Peter Brown, Collector; Eli R. Hyatt, Assessor.

1868.

Joseph Garner, Reeve; Peter Beckett, Deputy Reeve; John Beckett, E. Woodruff Metler, D. C. Roland, Councillors; John B. Crow, Clerk; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer; Peter Brown, Collector; Eli R. Hyatt, Assessor.

1869.

Joseph Garner, Reeve ; Peter Beckett, Deputy Reeve ; John Beckett, E. Woodruff Metler, D. C. Roland, Councillors ; John B. Crow, Clerk ; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer ; David A. Johnson, Collector ; Eli R. Hyatt, Assessor.

1870.

Joseph Garner, Reeve ; Peter Beckett, Deputy Reeve ; David W. Horton, James Reilly, Wm. Richardson, Councillors ; John B. Crow, Clerk ; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer ; N. H. Ward, Collector ; Eli R. Hyatt, Assessor.

1871.

Joseph Garner, Reeve ; David W. Horton, Deputy Reeve ; Geo. W. Haney, Henry Hansler, Wm. Richardson, Councillors ; John B. Crow, Clerk ; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer ; Nehemiah H. Ward, Collector ; Eli R. Hyatt, Assessor.

1872.

Joseph Garner, Reeve ; Wm. Richardson, Deputy Reeve ; Geo. W. Haney, Henry Hansler, Henry Rinker, Councillors ; John B. Crow, Clerk ; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer ; Samuel C. Howey, Collector ; Eli R. Hyatt, Assessor.

1873.

Joseph Garner, Reeve ; Wm. Richardson, Deputy Reeve ; Geo. W. Haney, Henry Hansler, Henry Rinker, Councillors ; John B. Crow, Clerk ; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer ; S. H. VanEvery, Collector; Eli R. Hyatt, Assessor.

1874.

Joseph Garner, Reeve ; Henry Hansler, Deputy Reeve ; Geo. W. Haney, D. C. Roland, Stephen B. Swayze, Councillors ; John B. Crow, Clerk ; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer ; Eli R. Hyatt, Collector ; James E. Hutt, Assessor.

1875.

James E. Hutt, Reeve ; David W. Horton, Deputy Reeve ; David A. Johnson, David Metler, Stephen B. Swayze, Councillors ;

John B. Crow, Clerk ; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer ; Rolson Rinker, Collector ; Lauren F. Brown, Assessor.

1876.

James E. Hutt, Reeve ; David W. Horton, Deputy Reeve ; David Metler, Daniel W. Page, Stephen B. Swayze, Councillors ; John B. Crow, Clerk ; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer ; Eli R. Hyatt, Assessor and Collector.

1877.

James E. Hutt, Reeve ; D. W. Horton, Deputy Reeve ; David Metler, Daniel W. Page, Stephen B. Swayze, Councillors ; John B. Crow, Clerk ; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer ; Eli R. Hyatt, Assessor and Collector.

1878.

Joseph Garner, Reeve ; D. W. Horton, Deputy Reeve ; David Metler, D. W. Page, Stephen B. Swayze, Councillors ; John B. Crow, Clerk ; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer ; Rolson Rinker, Collector ; Eli R. Hyatt, Assessor.

1879.

Joseph Garner, Reeve ; David Metler, Deputy Reeve ; Henry Laws, D. C. Roland, S. B. Swayze, Councillors ; John B. Crow, Clerk ; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer ; Rolson Rinker, Collector ; Eli R. Hyatt, Assessor.

1880.

Joseph Garner, Reeve ; David Metler, Deputy Reeve ; Wm. G. Diffin, D. W. Page, D. C. Roland, Councillors ; John B. Crow, Clerk ; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer ; E. Woodruff Metler, Collector ; John H. Johnson, Assessor.

1881.

Joseph Garner, Reeve ; David Metler, Deputy Reeve ; Wm. G. Diffin, D. W. Page, D. C. Roland, Councillors ; John B. Crow, Clerk ; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer ; A. A. Lymburner, Collector ; Eli R. Hyatt, Assessor.

1882.

Joseph Garner, Reeve ; Edward Sisler, Deputy Reeve ; Wm. G. Diffin, Andrew Hansler, D. W. Page, Councillors ; John B. Crow,

Clerk; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer; Rolson Rinker, Collector; E. R. Hyatt, Assessor.

1883.

Joseph Garner, Reeve; Edward Sisler, Deputy Reeve; David J. Brown, Wm. G. Diffin, Andrew Hansler, Councillors; John B. Crow, Clerk; Samuel Beckett, Treasurer—resigned, succeeded by John B. Crow; Peter Brown, Collector; Wm. A. West, Assessor.

1884.

Joseph Garner, Reeve; Edward Sisler, Deputy Reeve; Wm. G. Diffin, Andrew Hansler, D. W. Page, Councillors; John B. Crow, Clerk and Treasurer; Frank W. Hutt, Collector; John H. Johnson, Assessor.

1885.

David Metler, Reeve; Edward Sisler, Deputy Reeve; Samuel P. Bowman, Wm. G. Diffin, Andrew Hansler, Councillors; John B. Crow, Clerk and Treasurer; Peter Brown, Collector; Wm. A. West, Assessor.

1886.

Joseph Garner, Reeve; Andrew Hansler, Deputy Reeve; Samuel P. Bowman, Henry Laws, Daniel W. Page, Councillors; John B. Crow, Clerk and Treasurer; Peter Brown, Collector; Asahel E. Nunn, Assessor.

1887.

Dr. James O. Emmett, Reeve; Wm. G. Diffin, Deputy Reeve; S. P. Bowman, Henry Laws, D. W. Page, Councillors; John B. Crow, Clerk—succeeded on his death by Judson C. Crow; John B. Crow, Treasurer—succeeded on his death by Delorma J. Stone; Peter Brown, Collector; Asahel E. Nunn, Assessor.

1888.

Edward Morris, Reeve; D. C. Roland, Deputy Reeve; S. P. Bowman, Geo. Coon, Jr., D. W. Page, Councillors; J. C. Crow, Clerk; D. J. Stone, Treasurer; Amos Reece, Collector; Allan Ray, Assessor.

1889.

Edward Morris, Reeve; S. P. Bowman, Geo. Coon, Jr., D. W.

Page, Councillors ; J. C. Crow, Clerk ; D. J. Stone, Treasurer ; Amos Reece, Collector ; John A. Forsyth, Assessor.

1890.

Edward Morris, Reeve ; Wm. H. Fry, Deputy Reeve ; George Coon, Jr., John Daboll, D. W. Page, Councillors ; J. C. Crow, Clerk ; D. J. Stone, Treasurer ; D. C. Roland, Collector ; John H. Johnson, Assessor.

1891.

Edward Morris, Reeve , Wm. H. Fry, Deputy Reeve ; George Coon, Jr., John Daboll, D. W. Page, Councillors ; J. C. Crow, Clerk; D. J. Stone, Treasurer ; D. C. Roland, Collector ; Jas. P. Pegg, Assessor.

1892.

W. H. Fry, Reeve ; D. W. Page, Deputy Reeve ; Richard W. Brown, John Daboll, Philip Kline, Councillors ; J. C. Crow, Clerk ; D. J. Stone, Treasurer ; D. C. Roland, Collector ; Asahel E. Nunn, Assessor.

1893.

Wm. H. Fry, Reeve ; D. W. Page, Deputy Reeve ; Richard W. Brown, Wm. L. Horton, Philip Kline, Councillors ; J. C. Crow, Clerk; D. J. Stone, Treasurer ; A. E. Nunn, Assessor.

PORT COLBORNE.

1870.

J. C. Karr, Reeve ; Charles Carter, Elisha Furry, Thos. Greenwood, Jacob North, Councillors.

1871.

Elisha Furry, Reeve ; J. W. Young, Thos. Scholfield, Peter Wintemute, Edward Armstrong, Councillors.

1872.

Elisha Furry, Reeve ; J. W. McGillivray, Alex. Stewart, Thos. Armstrong, J. W. Gordon, Councillors.

1873.

Thos. Scholfield, Reeve ; J. W. Young, Thos. Greenwood, Wm. Lewis, Robert Armstrong, Councillors.

1874.

Thos. Scholfield, Reeve ; C. H. Carter, Robt. Armstrong, Fred. Woods, Thos. Greenwood, Councillors.

1875.

Thos. Scholfield, Reeve ; T. J. O'Neil, Wm. Lewis, C. B. Misener, Matthew Richardson, Councillors.

1876.

Thos. Scholfield, Reeve ; John Hoschke, J. O'Connor, H. Cronmiller, Wm. Lewis, Councillors.

1877.

J. R. Haun, Reeve ; Wm. Carter, Edward Armstrong, Wm. Lewis, Harry Buchner, Councillors.

1878.

Harry Buchner, Reeve ; John O'Conner, Wm. Lewis, Wm. Carter, James McKay, Councillors.

1879.

W. B. Pringle, Reeve ; Wm. Flynn, J. O'Connor, Edward Armstrong, Henry Cronmiller, Councillors.

1880.

W. B. Pringle, Reeve ; Wm. Flynn, J. C. McRae, R. Balfour, D. Armstrong, Councillors.

1881.

W. B. Pringle, Reeve ; Wm. Flynn, Thos. Rae, D. Armstrong, Wm. Lewis, Councillors.

1882.

W. B. Pringle, Reeve ; Wm. Stanton, James Kinnear, T. L. Stone, Thos. Rae, Councillors.

1883.

T. L. Stone, Reeve; Wm. Flynn, J. Barnhart, J. C. McRae, Thos. Rae, Councillors.

1884.

Henry Cronmiller, Reeve ; Wm. Lewis, Samuel Cook, T. L. Stone, Paul Kramer, Councillors.

1885.

H. Cronmiller, Reeve ; Jas. Kinnear, Jas. Hamilton, George Christmas, Thos. Rae, Councillors.

1886.

H. Cronmiller, Reeve ; Thos. Rae, Geo. Christmas, Samuel Hopkins, Sr., Wm. McGinnis, Councillors.

1887.

H. Cronmiller, Reeve ; Geo. Christmas, Thos. Rae, J. C. McRae, Samuel Cook, Councillors.

1888.

T. L. Stone, Reeve ; J. C. McRae, Jacob Cook, S. Shickluna, C. H. Knoll, Councillors.

1889.

T. L. Stone, Reeve ; Jas. Hamilton, Geo. Christmas, Chas. Armstrong, S. Shickluna, Councillors.

1890.

H. Cronmiller, Reeve ; Geo. Christmas, Wm. Lewis, G. Chase, Samuel Hopkins, Sr., Councillors.

1891.

H. Cronmiller, Reeve ; Wm. Rooth, Geo. Christmas, Aben Anthes, J. A. Smith, Councillors.

1892.

DeWitt Carter, Reeve ; Geo. Christmas, M. Richardson, W. H. Rooth, Wm. Lewis, Councillors.

1893.

Samuel Hopkins, Sr., Reeve ; Aben Anthes, Geo. Augustine, Jacob Cook, T. F. Armstrong, Councillors.

Appointed Officers.

Clerk—Chas. Thom, 1870.

Clerk—W. J. Pringle, 1871-2.

Clerk—S. J. Hopkins, Jr., 1873-93.

Treasurer—David Hughes, 1870-93.

Collector—Jas. Twohey, 1870-9 ; 1881-9 ; 1891-3.

Collector—A. Boyer, 1880.

Collector—F. D. Noble, 1890.

STAMFORD.

1844.

George Bender, F. Hutt, Hiram Howey, Wardens ; William Pointer, Clerk and Assessor ; Wm. Hepburne, Treasurer.

Records lost for next five years.

1850.

T. C. Street, Reeve ; John Lemon, Wm. McMicking, Jas. McGarry, Wm. Lowell, Councillors.

1851.

T. C. Street, Reeve ; Wm. McMicking, —— Lampman, John Vanderburgh, Wm. Lowell, Councillors.

1852.

Luke Carroll, Reeve ; John Pew, Wm. Russell, Jas. McGarry —— Thompson, Councillors.

1853.

Wm. McMicking, Reeve ; John Pew, A. Spencer, G. Mathison, J. McGarry, Councillors.

1854.

Wm. McMicking, Reeve ; John Pew, Deputy Reeve ; James McGarry, J. Garner, —— Hutchins, Councillors.

1855.

Wm. McMicking, Reeve ; John Pew, Deputy Reeve ; James McGarry, Jacob Garner, Wm. A. Rooth, Councillors.

1856.

Wm. Rooth, Reeve ; John Pew, Deputy Reeve ; Jas. McGarry, Jacob Garner, Gilbert McMicking, Councillors.

By-law passed for building grammar school, 27th December.

1857.

Wm. McMicking, Reeve ; John Vanderburgh, Deputy Reeve ; Jas. McGarry, Wm. Rooth, Robt. Spencer, Councillors.

1858.

Wm. Rooth, Reeve ; John Vanderburgh, Deputy Reeve ; B. Thompson, Jas. McGarry, Robt. Spencer, Councillors.

1859.

Benj. Thompson, Reeve ; John Pew, Deputy Reeve ; James McGarry, Geo. Hyatt, Wm. Rooth, Councillors.

1860.

Wm. Rooth, Reeve ; John Lemon, Deputy Reeve ; John Pew, Jas. McGarry, Geo. Taylor, Councillors.

1861.

John Lemon, Reeve ; Walter Woodruff, Deputy Reeve ; S. Pew, D. R. McPherson, Jas. McGarry, Councillors.

1862.

Walter Woodruff, Reeve ; Samuel Pew, Deputy Reeve ; L. McPherson, Alex. McLeod, Robt. Spencer, Councillors.

1863.

L. McPherson, Reeve ; Edward Brown, Deputy Reeve ; Alex. McLeod, Geo. Hyatt, Samuel Pew, Councillors.

1864.

L. McPherson, Reeve ; Edward Brown, Deputy Reeve ; John Pew, John Creighton, Geo. Hyatt, Councillors.

1865.

John Pew, Reeve ; Wm. Russell, Deputy Reeve ; John Creighton, Geo. Hyatt, L. McPherson, Councillors.

1866.

John Pew, Reeve ; Wm. Russell, Deputy Reeve ; John Creighton, Geo. Hyatt, L. McPherson, Councillors.

1867.

John Pew, Reeve ; Samuel Pew, Deputy Reeve ; Geo. Garner, E. Redpath, John Thompson, Councillors.

1868.

Geo. Taylor, Reeve ; Wilson Lemon, Deputy Reeve ; Joseph Wynn, Geo. Rysdale, John Vanderburgh, Councillors.

1869.

Joseph Wynn, Reeve ; Geo. Rysdale, Deputy Reeve ; John Crawford, James McGarry, John Vanderburgh, Councillors.

1870.

Joseph Wynn, Reeve; Geo. Rysdale, Deputy Reeve; John Crawford, Wm. Reavely, Jas. McGarry, Councillors.

1871.

Wm. Reavely, Reeve; John Crawford, Deputy Reeve; James McGarry, James McGarry, M. D., John Thompson, Councillors.

1872.

Wm. Reavely, Reeve; Anson Garner, Deputy Reeve; James McGarry, James McGarry, M. D., John Thompson, Councillors.

1873.

Lanty Lundy, Reeve; Anson Garner, Deputy Reeve; Harrison C. Mewburn, Samuel Pew, Archibald Gray, Councillors.

1874.

Wm. Reavely, Reeve; Anson Garner, Deputy Reeve; H. C. Mewburn, A. Gray, Geo. White, Councillors.

Town hall built.

1875.

Anson Garner, Reeve; Samuel Pew, Deputy Reeve; George White, A. Gray, Samuel Patton, Councillors.

1876.

Geo. J. Duncan, Reeve; Samuel Pew, Deputy Reeve; James McGarry, Geo. White, Jos. Wynn, Councillors.

1877.

Geo. J. Duncan, Reeve; Jos. Wynn, Deputy Reeve; James McGarry, M. D., T. B. Wilson, John McKerlie, Councillors.

1878.

Geo. J. Duncan, Reeve; Joseph Wynn, Deputy Reeve; T. B. Wilson, Jas. McGarry, M. D., John McKerlie, Councillors.

1879.

Geo. J. Duncan, Reeve; John A. Law, Deputy Reeve; James McGarry, Wm. Parker, Geo. Shrimpton, Councillors.

1880.

Geo. J. Duncan, Reeve; John A. Law, Deputy Reeve; James McGarry, M. D., Wm. Parker, Geo. Shrimpton, Councillors.

1881.

Geo. J. Duncan, Reeve ; Anson Garner, Deputy Reeve ; James Willox, Jas. R. McMicking, Peter Sutton, Councillors.

1882.

Anson Garner, Reeve ; Jas. W. House, Jas. Lampman, Peter Sutton, Geo. Pew, Councillors.

1883.

Anson Garner, Reeve ; Archibald Gray, Geo. Law, Peter Sutton, Wm. Parker, Councillors.

1884.

John A. Orchard, Reeve ; Geo. Law, Calvin D. Emmett, Archibald Gray, James E. Jones, Councillors.

1885.

John A. Orchard, Reeve ; C. D. Emmett, Deputy Reeve ; Jas. E. Jones, Geo. McClive, Geo. Law, Councillors.

1886.

John A. Orchard, Reeve ; C. D. Emmett, Deputy Reeve ; Jas. E. Jones, Geo. Law, Geo. McClive, Councillors.

1887.

John A. Orchard, Reeve ; C. D. Emmętt, Deputy Reeve ; Jas. E. Jones, Geo. Law, Geo. McClive, Councillors.

1888.

C. D. Emmett, Reeve ; Jas. E. Jones, Deputy Reeve ; Sylvester Smith, Geo. Law, E. R. Morden, Councillors.

1889.

C. D. Emmett, Reeve ; Jas. E. Jones, Deputy Reeve ; George McClive, E. Morden, Sylvester Smith, Councillors.

1890.

Jas. E. Jones, Reeve ; Geo. McClive, Deputy Reeve ; J. Harrison Pew, John Monroe, E. Morden, Councillors.

1891.

Jas. E. Jones, Reeve ; E. Morden, Deputy Reeve ; J. Harrison Pew, Jas. Wilson, Jas. T. Deans, Councillors.

1892.

Jas. E. Jones, Reeve; J. Harrison Pew, Deputy Reeve; John Monroe, Jas. Wilson, Jas. T. Deans, Councillors.

By-law to build grammar school for $8,000.

1893.

J. Harrison Pew, Reeve; Jas. T. Deans, Deputy Reeve; John Monroe, Jas. Wilson, John Gallinger, Councillors.

Appointed Officers.

Clerk—Richard Henley, 1850-4; 1856-68.
Clerk—Dennis Hanlon, 1855.
Clerk—John A. Orchard, 1869-81.
Clerk—F. A. Hutt, 1882-93.
Treasurer—James Oswald, 1850.
Treasurer—J. C. Woodruff, 1851-83.
Treasurer—Jas. R. McMicking, 1884-93.

THOROLD TOWNSHIP.

[*Extracts from the Township Book of Thorold Township.*]

1843.

At a meeting held at Samuel Swayze's inn, in Allanburgh, on Monday, the second day of January, one thousand eight hundred and forty-three, the following persons were duly elected to serve as township officers for the said Township of Thorold for the current year, 1843:

Robert Hobson, District Councillor; Ephraim Sternburgh, Clerk; Josiah Page, Assessor; Ephraim Sternburgh, Collector.

1844.

Robert Hobson, Duncan McFarland, District Councillors; Ephraim Sternburgh, Clerk; William McClellan, Assessor; Isaac Kelly, Collector.

1845.

George Keefer, Councillor; Samuel Swayze, Clerk; Josiah Page, Assessor; John Rannie, Collector.

1846.

Duncan McFarland, Councillor; Samuel Swayze, Clerk; Josiah Page, Assessor; Robert Hobson, Collector.

1847.

John Rannie, Clerk; Robert Hobson, Assessor; Robert Hobson, Collector.

1848.

W. B. Hendershot, Councillor elected; John Rannie, Clerk; Wm. Ramsey, Assessor; Henry Hoover, Collector.

1849.

Dilly Coleman, Councillor; John Rannie, Clerk; Robert Hobson, Assessor; Jonathan Doan, Collector.

1850.

Pursuant to public notice, the inhabitants of the Township of Thorold met this 18th day of December, 1849, for the purpose of nominating fit and proper persons to serve as township councillors for the year 1850.

The following gentlemen were elected councillors for the year, 1850: Robert Hobson, Malum Swayze, Baruch Tucker, John Radcliffe, George Jordan. John Radcliffe was elected Reeve, and Robert Hobson Deputy Reeve. Dexter D'Everardo was appointed Superintendent of Education for the current year; Henry William Tims, Clerk; John Turney, Hiram Marlatt, Josiah Page, Assessors; Jonathan Doan, Collector; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1851.

Robert Hobson, Reeve; John Radcliffe, William Wright, George Jordan, Josiah Page, Councillors; William Spencer, John Turney, Samuel Swayze, Assessors; Henry William Tims, Clerk; Edward R. Page, Collector; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1852.

William Wright, Reeve; John Radcliffe, Robert Elliott, Philip Garner, Dennis Rice, Councillors; William Pennock, Clerk; Josiah Page, Assessor; James Vanalstine, Collector; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1853.

James McCoppen, Reeve ; Philip Garner, Geo. Vanderburgh, Robert Hobson, Dennis Rice, Councillors ; Charles Stewart, Clerk ; Benjamin Fortner, Assessor ; John McCoppen, Collector ; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1854.

At a meeting of the municipal electors, held in the town hall, Allanburgh, on Monday, the second day of January, 1854, for the purpose of electing five councillors, and a poll being demanded for the election of councillors ; after two days polling, the following persons were declared duly elected : James McCoppen, Robert Hobson, George Vanderburgh, Dennis Rice, Andrew Upper.

Robert Hobson, Reeve ; George Vanderburgh, Deputy Reeve ; Dennis Rice, Andrew Upper, James McCoppen, Councillors. [At a meeting of the municipal electors, held at the town hall in the Village of Allanburgh, on Thursday, the 23rd day of February, 1854, Robert Elliott was elected Councillor in place of James McCoppen.] Charles Stewart, Clerk ; Enoch Shrigley, Assessor ; John McCoppen, Collector.

1855.

William Wright, Reeve ; James McCoppen, Deputy Reeve ; James Vanalstine, Andrew Upper, Thomas Russell, Councillors ; Charles Stewart, Clerk ; Samuel Hill, Assessor ; John McCoppen, Collector ; John Rannie, Treasurer.

A meeting of the freeholders and householders of the Township of Thorold, was held at the town hall, Allanburgh, the 10th day of March, 1855, to consider the propriety of building a macadamized road from Thorold Village to the limits of the township at Port Robinson, and to obtain the sanction and support of the various townships and villages to carry the same to Port Colborne.

At a meeting of the qualified municipal electors of the Township of Thorold, held at the town hall, Allanburgh, the 29th day of September, 1855, in pursuance of public notice, to take in consideration the propriety of passing the by-law for raising £5,000 by way

of loan, to pay for the stock taken in the Port Robinson and Thorold macadamized road:

Moved by Captain Radcliffe, seconded by Robert Elliott, that the chairman do take the sense of this meeting whether the by-law advertised to be taken into consideration this day be affirmed or not. The chairman declared the yeas had a majority. A poll being demanded it was taken, and at the close the numbers stood as follows, viz.: Yeas, 119. Nays, 102. Majority in favor of the by-law, 17.

CHARLES STEWART,
Secretary.

1856.

William Wright, Reeve; James McCoppen, Deputy Reeve; John Radcliffe, James Vanalstine, Obediah Hopkins, Councillors; Charles Stewart resigned Clerkship on account of ill health, and Philip S. Mussen was appointed Clerk; Benjamin Fortner, Assessor; George Thomas, Collector; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1857.

Robert Elliott, Reeve; Robert Spencer, Deputy Reeve; William Spencer, Hyatt Summers, Andrew Slough, Councillors; Philip S. Mussen, Clerk; Enoch Shrigley, Assessor; Josiah H. E. Page, Collector; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1858.

Robert Spencer, Reeve; William Spencer, Deputy Reeve; William Hill, Robert Coulter, Hyatt Summers, Councillors; Philip S. Mussen, Clerk; Benjamin Fortner, Assessor; Josiah H. E. Page, Collector; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1859.

Robert Spencer, Reeve; Robert Coulter, Deputy Reeve; William Hill, William Spencer, Hyatt Summers, Councillors; Philip S. Mussen, Clerk; Thomas Sowersby, Assessor; Alexander Page, Collector; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1860.

Robert Coulter, Reeve; George Hill, Andrew Upper, Alexander Page, Stephen Haney, Councillors; Philip S. Mussen, Clerk; John

Kelly, Assessor ; George Thomas, Collector ; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1861.

Robert Coulter, Reeve ; George Hill, Deputy Reeve ; Stephen Haney, Alexander Page, Andrew Upper, Councillors ; Isaac P. Willson, Clerk ; John Kelly, Assessor ; James Vanalstine, Collector ; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1862.

Robert Coulter, Reeve ; Stephen Haney, Deputy Reeve ; John McKinley, John McClellan, Joseph Upper, Councillors ; Isaac P. Willson, Clerk ; John Kelly, Assessor ; Benjamin Fortner, Collector ; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1863.

Robert Coulter, Reeve ; Stephen Haney, Deputy Reeve ; John McClellan, John McKinley, Joseph Upper, Councillors ; Isaac P. Willson, Clerk ; Thomas Sowersby, Assessor ; Benjamin Fortner, Collector ; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1864.

Robert Coulter, Reeve ; Stephen Haney, Deputy Reeve ; John McClellan, George Couk, Robert Garner, Councillors ; Isaac P. Willson, Clerk ; John Kelly, Assessor ; Benjamin Fortner, Collector ; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1865.

Robert Coulter, Reeve ; Stephen Haney, Deputy Reeve ; Robt. S. Garner, George Hill, John P. Abbey, Councillors ; Isaac P. Wilson, until the 9th day of September, 1865, thereafter C. B. Bennett,Clerk ; Thomas Sowersby, Jacob Gainer, Assessors ; Levi Goodwillie, Collector ; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1866.

George Hill, Reeve ; John P. Abbey, Deputy Reeve ; Matthew Seburn, Robert M. Wilkerson, Stephen Haney, Councillors ; Philip S. Mussen, Clerk ; Hiram Marlatt, Assessor ; George Thomas, Collector ; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1867.

Matthew Seburn, Reeve ; David Killens, Deputy Reeve ;

Alexander Page, John Gainer, Joseph Upper, Councillors ; Philip S. Mussen, Clerk ; Thomas Sowersby, Hiram Marlatt, Assessor ; James Vanalstine, Collector ; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1868.

David Killens, Reeve ; Mathew Seburn, Deputy Reeve ; Leonard Vanderburgh, John Gainer, John R. Swayze, Councillors ; C. B. Bennett, Clerk, until 18th April, when Robert Spencer was appointed Clerk ; Jacob Gainer, Assessor ; George Thomas, Collector ; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1869.

David Killens, Reeve ; John Allison, Deputy Reeve ; John Wilson, John R. Swayze, Solomon Damude, Councillors ; Robert Spencer, Clerk ; Jacob Gainer, Assessor ; Hiram P. Swayze, Collector; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1870.

Solomon Damude, Reeve ; James Brooks, Deputy Reeve ; John R. Swayze, John Gainer, Robert S. Garner, Councillors ; Robert Spencer, Clerk ; C. B. Bennett, Assessor ; Hiram P. Swayze, Collector ; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1871.

James Brooks, Reeve, who died, and F. M. Hagar was elected in June, 1871, as Reeve ; John Wilson, Deputy Reeve ; Robert Wilkerson, Thomas Sowersby, Warren Moore Councillors ; Robert Spencer, Clerk ; Philip S. Mussen, Assessor ; James N. Vanalstine, Collector ; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1872.

John Wilson, Reeve ; David Killens, Deputy Reeve ; John Guinter, Robert S. Garner, Walter Upper, Councillors ; Robert Spencer, Clerk ; C. B. Bennett, Assessor ; William Clark, Collector ; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1873.

Stephen Beatty, Reeve ; John Guinter, Deputy Reeve ; John Gainer, James Warner, Walter Upper, Councillors ; Philip S.

Mussen, Clerk ; Thomas A. Clark, Assessor ; Henry McSherry, Collector ; John Rannie, Treasurer.

1874.

Stephen Beatty, Reeve ; John Gainer, Deputy Reeve ; Walter Upper, J. J. Damude, Robert Larter, Councillors ; P. S. Mussen, Assessor ; Garret Vanderburgh, Collector ; Baruch Tucker, Treasurer ; Henry Mussen, Clerk.

1875.

Stephen Beatty, Reeve ; Jno. J. Damude, Deputy Reeve ; Wm. Mulholland, Warren Moore, William Patterson, Councillors ; Henry Mussen, Clerk ; Walter Upper, Treasurer ; Andrew Coulter, Collector.

1876.

Stephen Beatty, Reeve ; Jno. J. Damude, Deputy Reeve ; Warren Moore, William Patterson, George Page, Councillors ; Henry Mussen, Clerk ; Walter Upper, Treasurer ; George Thomas, Collector.

1877.

Stephen Beatty, Reeve ; J. J. Damude, Deputy Reeve ; George Page, Thomas A. Clark, Jacob J. Upper, Councillors ; Henry Mussen, Clerk ; P. S. Mussen, Assessor ; Geo. Thomas, Collector.

1878.

Jno. J. Damude, Reeve ; Geo. Page, Deputy Reeve ; R. S. Garner, Jacob J. Upper, Geo. Vanderburgh, Councillors ; Henry Mussen, Clerk ; Walter Upper, Treasurer ; Thomas A. Clark, Assessor ; Wm. Mulholland, Collector.

1879.

Jno. J. Damude, Reeve ; George Page, Deputy Reeve ; Geo. Vanderburgh, Jacob Upper, Wm. Gainer, Councillors ; P. S. Mussen, Clerk ; Walter Upper, Treasurer ; John W. Robertson, Assessor ; James S. Upper, Collector.

1880.

George Page, Reeve ; Jacob J. Upper, Deputy Reeve ; W. H. Gainer, Drayton Summers, Alexander Abbey, Councillors ; P. S. Mussen, Clerk ; Alexander Upper, Assessor ; Henry Cole, Collector ; Walter Upper, Treasurer.

1881.

Stephen Beatty, Reeve; John Wilson, Deputy Reeve; Frank Shriner, George Vanalstine, Drayton Summers, Councillors; P. S. Mussen, Clerk; Walter Upper, Treasurer; Thomas A. Clark, Assessor; Wm. McSherry, Collector.

1882.

John Willson, Reeve; W. H. Gainer, Deputy Reeve; Drayton Summers, George A. Vanalstine, Francis Shriner, Councillors; P. S. Mussen, Clerk; Walter Upper, Treasurer; George Page, Assessor; Wm. McSherry, Collector.

1883.

John Willson, Reeve; Wm. H. Gainer, Deputy Reeve; Frank Shriner, Drayton Summers, Thomas Archibald, Councillors; Thos. A. Clark, Assessor; P. S. Mussen, Clerk; Walter Upper, Treasurer; John Merithew, Collector.

1884.

John Willson, Reeve; W. H. Gainer, Deputy Reeve; Drayton Summers, Henry Selway, Robert Wilkerson, Councillors; P. S. Mussen, Clerk; Walter Upper, Treasurer; Alexander Upper, Assessor; Thomas A. Clark, Collector.

1885.

Jno. Willson, Reeve; Wm. H. Gainer, Deputy Reeve; Thomas Allan, Charles O. Clark, E. Shainholdts, Councillors; Philip S. Mussen, Clerk; Walter Upper, Treasurer; Thomas A. Clark, Assessor; Thomas S. Reavely, Collector.

1886.

Jno. Willson, Reeve; W. H. Gainer, Deputy Reeve; Charles O. Clark, Francis Shriner, E. Shainholdts, Councillors; P. S. Mussen, Clerk; Walter Upper, Treasurer; Alexander Upper, Assessor; Thomas S. Reavely, Collector.

1887.

John Willson, Reeve; W. H. Gainer, Deputy Reeve; Charles O. Clark, Frank Shriner, E. Shainholdts, Councillors; P. S. Mussen, Clerk; Walter Upper, Treasurer; Thomas Reavely, Collector; Thomas A. Clark, Assessor.

1888.

John Willson, Reeve ; Francis Shriner, Deputy Reeve ; Charles O. Clark, Charles Lobb, Richard Moore, Councillors ; P. S. Mussen, Clerk ; Walter Upper, Treasurer ; Thomas A. Clark, Collector.

1889.

John Willson, Reeve ; Francis Shriner, Deputy Reeve ; Charles O. Clark, Charles Lobb, Jonathan Bradfield, Councillors ; P. S. Mussen, Clerk until June ; died, succeeded by Thomas A. Clark ; Walter Upper, Treasurer until May ; resigned, succeeded by Baruch Tucker ; Robert Stevenson, Assessor.

1890.

William H. Gainer, Reeve ; Francis Shriner, Deputy Reeve ; Charles O. Clark, Charles C. Lobb, Jonathan Bradfield, Councillors ; Thomas A. Clark, Clerk ; George Page, Assessor ; Thomas S. Reavely, Collector ; Baruch Tucker, Treasurer.

1891.

C. B. Bennett, Reeve ; Francis Shriner, Deputy Reeve ; Charles O. Clark, Norval B. Hagar, Isaiah Hansler, Councillors ; Thomas A. Clark, Clerk ; Luther O. McClellan, Assessor ; Jonathan L. Page, Collector ; Baruch Tucker, Treasurer until the 14th day of September, 1891, when he resigned, and Thomas A. Clark was appointed Treasurer.

1892.

C. B. Bennett, Reeve ; Norval B. Hagar, Deputy Reeve ; Isaiah Hansler, Peter McKinley, Thomas S. Reavely, Councillors ; Thomas A. Clark, Clerk ; Albert E. Clark, Assessor ; Charles T. Ware, Collector ; Thomas A. Clark, Treasurer.

1893.

C. B. Bennett, Reeve ; Norval B. Hagar, Deputy Reeve ; Peter McKinley, Elias Egerter, Harvey Gainer, Councillors ; Thomas A. Clark, Clerk ; John Scanlan, Assessor ; Thomas A. Clark, Treasurer.

VILLAGE OF THOROLD.

1850.

Wm. James, Reeve; W. B. Hendershot, Alex. Christie, William Waud, John Boyle, Councillors; John Keefer, Henry Hoover, Wm. Ramsay, Assessors; James Park, Collector; Geo. Keefer, Jr., Treasurer; Wm. Ramsay, Clerk.

1851.

Wm. B. Hendershot, Reeve; Wm. James, John Grant, James Park, Wm. H. Ward, Councillors; Jas. Munro, Hugh Patterson, Wm. Beatty, Assessors; J. I. B. Hilton, Collector; Wm. Ramsay, Clerk; Geo. Keefer, Treasurer.

1852.

Wm. B. Hendershot, Reeve; Wm. James, John Keefer, John Boyle, James Gibson, Councillors; James Munro, Assessor; Hugh James, Collector; Wm. Ramsay, Clerk; George Keefer, Treasurer.

By-law passed on November 8th, 1852, to loan the St. Catharines, Thorold & Suspension Bridge Road Company the sum of $8,000.

1853.

W. B. Hendershot, Reeve; George Keefer, James Gibson, John Boyle, John Keefer, Councillors; Hugh James took his seat as Councillor on the 11th July, 1853, having been elected instead of George Keefer, resigned; James Munro, Assessor; John Heenan, Collector; Alexander Stanley, Clerk; Jacob Keefer, Treasurer.

1854.

Wm. B. Hendershot, Reeve; John Boyle, John Keefer, Hugh James, George Elliott, Councillors; W. N. Garden, W. T. Fish, Assessors; John Heenan, Collector; Alex. Stanley, Clerk; Jacob Keefer, Treasurer.

1855.

Wm. James; John Boyle, Hugh James, Geo. Elliott, John Morley, Councillors; Alex. Stanley, Clerk; Robert Dougan, James Munro, Assessors; Wm. Garden, Collector; Jacob Keefer, Treasurer.

A by-law to authorize the St. Catharines & Welland Canal Gas

Company to lay down pipes, &c., in Village of Thorold, was passed March 26th, 1855.

Passed May 11th, 1855, a by-law to donate £100 to the Patriotic fund.

1856.

John Grant, Reeve; R. B. McPherson, John Morley, C. W. Gisso, B. McMann, Councillors; John D. Murray, Clerk; Robert Dougan, W. T. Fish, Assessors; W. N. Garden, Collector; Jacob Keefer, Treasurer.

A by-law establishing a market in the Village of Thorold was passed December 13th, 1856.

1857.

John Grant, Reeve; R. B. McPherson, B. McMann, A. Schwaller, D. N. Moore, Councillors; — McKenzie, — Mawdesley, Assessors; J. D. Murray, Clerk; W. N. Garden, Tax Collector; Jacob Keefer, Treasurer.

1858.

James H. Beatty, Reeve; Jas. Shannon, R. B. McPherson, D. N. Moore, A. Schwaller, Councillors; W. T. Fish, Hugh James, Assessors; W. N. Garden, Collector; J. D. Murray, Clerk; Jacob Keefer, Treasurer.

1859.

John Grant, Reeve; W. T. Fish, A. Schwaller, John Band, D. N. Moore, Councillors; H. James, L. C. Camp, Assessors; John Heenan, Collector; Walkden Mawdesley, Clerk; Jacob Keefer, Treasurer; James Munro, Geo. Keefer, Auditors.

1860.

R. B. McPherson, Reeve; W. T. Fish, James Beatty, John Band, A. Schwaller, Councillors; Hugh James, L. C. Camp, Assessors; John Heenan, Collector; Jacob Keefer, Treasurer; C. P. McGiverin, Clerk; H. Marlatt, James Munro, Auditors.

1861.

W. B. Hendershot, Reeve; W. T. Fish, Geo. Keefer, T. McGiverin, James Beatty, Councillors; C. P. McGiverin, Clerk;

Jacob Keefer, Treasurer ; James Munro, Alex. Hutcheson, Auditors ; Hugh James, L. C. Camp, Assessors ; John Heenan, Collector ; Maxwell Walkenshaw, Market Clerk.

1862.

James H. Beatty, Reeve ; W. T. Fish, P. Donahoe, John McDonagh, Alexander Hutcheson, Councillors ; John Heenan, Collector ; Wm. Ramsay, Robert Dougan, Assessors ; Jas. Munro, R. B. McPherson, Auditors ; C. P. McGiverin, Clerk; Maxwell Walkenshaw, Market Clerk ; L. C. Camp, (J. Keefer resigned) Treasurer.

1863.

Amantus Schwaller, Reeve ; W. T. Fish, J. McDonagh, Alex Hutcheson, Jas. Beatty, Councillors ; R. B. McPherson, Jas. Munro, Auditors ; Hugh James, Robert Pew, Assessors ; C. P. McGiverin, Clerk ; L. C. Camp, Treasurer ; John Heenan, Collector.

1864.

A. Schwaller, Reeve ; John McDonagh, Wm. T. Fish, W. James, James Munro, Councillors ; C. P. McGiverin, Clerk ; L. C. Camp, Treasurer ; Hugh James, Robert Pew, Assessors ; R. M. Richardson, R. B. McPherson, Auditors ; R. D. Hendershot, Collector.

1865.

Wm. James, Reeve ; A. Schwaller, John Batten, Jas. Munro, P. B. Owens, Councillors ; R. B. McPherson, Wm. Ramsay, Auditors ; Hugh James, Robert Pew, Assessors ; Sampson Hawthorn, Collector ; C. P. McGiverin, Clerk ; L. C. Camp, Treasurer ; Wm. Ramsay, Market Clerk ; Wm. Ramsay, License Inspector.

1866.

P. B. Owens, Reeve ; Wm. James, A. Schwaller, James Munro, John McDonagh, Councillors ; F. Lampman, Clerk ; L. C. Camp, Treasurer ; Hugh James, Robert Pew, Assessors ; Wm. T. Fish, Collector ; Robt. Dougan, R. B. McPherson, Auditors.

1867.

Wm. James, Reeve ; A. Schwaller, Jno. Beatty, Jas. Lawson, Geo. T. Florey, Councillors ; A. Stanley, Assessor ; R. B. McPherson,

Collector ; L. C. Camp, Treasurer ; F. Lampman, Clerk ; Robert Dougan, R. B. McPherson, Auditors.

1868.

A. Schwaller, Reeve ; John D. Beatty, Arch. Dobbie, John Carter, Geo. Keefer, Councillors ; James Munro, Alex. Stanley, Assessors ; J. E. Brown, Collector ; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk ; John C. Lampman, Treasurer.

1869.

A. Schwaller, Reeve ; James Lawson, John Keefer, George McFarland, John D. Beatty, Councillors ; Arthur Garden, Alexander Stanley, Assessors ; Robert Eddy, Collector ; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk ; J. C. Lampman, Treasurer.

1870.

James Lawson, Reeve ; J. B. Smyth, John McDonagh, Robert Curry, John Grenville, Councillors ; Rufus S. Swayze, John Hawse, Assessors ; John Hawse, Rufus Swayze, Collectors ; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk ; W. J. Stevenson, Treasurer.

1871.

John McDonagh, Reeve ; Robert Curry, John Grenville, Wm. Field, John Morley, Councillors ; John Hawse, Martin Jamieson, Assessors ; John Hawse, Martin Jamieson, Collectors ; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk ; W. J. Stevenson, Treasurer.

1872.

John McDonagh, Reeve ; John Morley, John Grenville, Robt. Curry, B. H. Lemon, Councillors ; John Hawse, Martin Jamieson, Assessors ; John Hawse, Martin Jamieson, Collectors ; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk ; W. J. Stevenson, Treasurer.

1873.

John McDonagh, Reeve ; Martin Jamieson, Robert Curry, Archibald Weir, John Morley, Councillors ; John Hawse, Robert Eddy, Assessors ; John Hawse, Collector ; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk ; W. J. Stevenson, Treasurer.

February 18th, 1873—By-law for $6,000, for the building of a High school.

1874.

John McDonagh, Reeve; David Sharp, Archibald Weir, Archibald Dobbie, Martin Jamieson, Councillors; John Hawse, Robert Eddy, Assessors; John Hawse, Robert Eddy, Collectors; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk; W. J. Stevenson, Treasurer.

May 4th, 1874—By-law passed to impound animals running at large.

An act to incorporate the Town of Thorold; assented to 21st December, 1874—by which Wm. T. Fish was appointed returning officer to hold the first election of Mayor, Reeve and Councillors at the town hall, in the said Town of Thorold.

1875.

Geo. Baxter, Mayor; John Grenville, Reeve; John Cloy, William Cartmell, M. Campbell, John McGill, Geo. Calcott, Henry Carter, Geo. Grenville, Robert Curry, Councillors; John Grenville was unseated as Reeve, and George McFarland elected instead, for 1875; Wm. Ramsay, Collector; Martin Jamieson, Michael Hennesey, Assessors; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk; W. J. Stevenson, Treasurer.

1876.

Geo. Baxter, Mayor; A. Weir, Reeve; G. Grenville, H. Carter, M. Henderson, B. McMann, Wm. Cartmell, M. Campbell, Thomas Conlon, John Cloy, Councillors; John Hawse, Matthew Hart, Assessors; John Hawse, Collector; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk; Robert Dougan, Treasurer.

1877.

L. L. Palmer, Mayor; Archibald Weir, Reeve; R. J. Johnston, Deputy Reeve; Wm. Spink, Jas. Lawson, P. A. Dunn, J. C. Lampman, Jas. Arnold, John H. Willson, Thos. Conlon, John Cloy, Councillors; George McFarland, A. Dobbie, Assessors; John Hawse, Collector; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk; Robert Dougan, Treasurer. John Grenville having been elected Reeve in place of A. Weir, deceased, took his seat on April 3rd, 1877.

Voted on June 29th, 1877, and carried—By-law to raise $8,000 to purchase a steam fire engine; by-law was finally passed July 3rd, 1877.

1878.

B. H. Lemon, Mayor; Jas. Arnold, Reeve; R. J. Johnston, Deputy Reeve; Jas. Lawson, John McGill, Benj. McElroy, Thos. Conlon, W. M. Hendershot, P. A. Dunn, Wm. Spink, Geo. Calcott, Councillors; Geo. McFarland, John Cloy, Assessors; John Hawse, Collector; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk; Robert Dougan, Treasurer.

By-law establishing fire limits passed April 15th, 1878.

1879.

John Grenville, Mayor; Alex. Fraser, Reeve; R. J. Johnston, Deputy Reeve; John Batten, Wm. England, J. D. McDonald, John McGill, David Battle, John Cloy, B. McElroy, Martin Jamieson, Councillors; John Hawse, Assessor; John Hawse, Collector; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk; Robert Dougan, Treasurer.

1880.

John Grenville, Mayor; Alex. Fraser, Reeve; R. J. Johnston, Deputy Reeve; J. D. McDonald, John Batten, David Battle, M. Jamieson, John McGill, J. H. Willson, Wm. England, John Cloy, Councillors; John Hawse, Assessor; John Hawse, Collector; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk; Robt. Dougan, Treasurer.

1881.

John McDonagh, Mayor; Alex. Fraser, Reeve; J. D. Johnston, Deputy Reeve; W. H. Morgan, James Weeks, Wm. Martin, John McGill, David Battle, Wm. McCleary, J. H. Willson. Thos. Conlon, Councillors; John Hawse, Assessor; John Hawse, Collector; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk; Robt. Dougan, Treasurer.

1882.

John McDonagh, Mayor; Alex. Fraser, Reeve; Wm. McCleary, Deputy Reeve; Thos. Conlon, J. H. Willson, Samuel Campbell, Henry A. Smith, Wm. J. Dougan, Jas. Weeks, David Battle, Charles Johnson, Councillors; John Hawse, Assessor; John Hawse, Collector; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk; Robert Dougan, Treasurer.

By-law passed regulating the market fees, on May 8th, 1882.

1883.

John McDonagh, Mayor; Alex. Fraser, Reeve; Wm.

McCleary, Deputy Reeve; James Lawson, W. J. Dougan, John Stewart, Geo. Turner, Charles Johnson, Thos. Conlon, Andrew Hardie, Samuel Campbell, Councillors; John Hawse, Assessor; John Hawse, Collector; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk; Robert Dougan, Treasurer.

1884.

John McDonagh, Mayor; Alex. Fraser, Reeve; Wm. McCleary, Deputy Reeve; John McGill, John Stewart, Thos. Conlon, B. F. Morley, Wm. Williams, Jas. Lawson, George Turner, Samuel Campbell, Councillors; John Hawse, Assessor; John Hawse, Collector; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk; Robert Dougan, Treasurer.

1885.

Alex. Fraser, Mayor; Wm. McCleary, Reeve; Geo. Turner, Deputy Reeve; W. H. Hough, James Lawson, Samuel Campbell, Wm. Williams, Alex. McClenchy, Thos. Conlon, Wm. Pike, J. H. Willson, Councillors; John Hawse, Assessor; John Hawse, Collector; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk; Robert Dougan, Treasurer.

A by-law to authorize the corporation of the Town of Thorold to aid the St. Catharines & Niagara Central Railway, by guaranteeing the payment of interest only on $20,000 of debentures for twenty years, was passed January, 12th, 1885.

1886.

Alex. Fraser, Mayor; Wm. McCleary, Reeve; Geo. Turner, Deputy Reeve; James Lawson, Wm. Williams, Wm. Gearin, Samuel Campbell, James Willson, Alex. McClenchy, Wm. Pike, Thos. Conlon, Councillors; John Hawse, James Mawdesley, Assessors; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk; Robert Dougan, Treasurer.

A by-law to raise by way of loan $3,000, for the purpose of purchasing a plot of ground for a cemetery, was passed January 18th, 1886.

1887.

Wm. McCleary, Mayor; Geo. Turner, Reeve; Wm. Williams, Deputy Reeve; P. J. Bessey, Geo. H. Williams, W. J. Dougan, Wm. Gearin, L. McMann, F. Brown, A. Hardie, P. A. Dunn, Councillors;

John Hawse, Assessor; John Hawse, Collector; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk; Robert Dougan, Treasurer.

A by-law to raise by way of loan $8,000, for erecting and operating an electric light plant, passed July 29th, 1887.

1888.

Wm. McCleary, Mayor; Geo. Turner, Reeve; Wm. Williams, Deputy Reeve; Wm. Gearin, A. Hardie, F. Brown, Alex. Fraser, P. A. Dunn, L. McMann, Geo. H. Williams, P. J. Bessey, Councillors; James Lawson, John Hawse, Assessors; John Hawse, Collector; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk; Robert Dougan, Treasurer.

1889.

James Lawson, Mayor; Geo. Turner, Reeve; Wm. Williams, Deputy Reeve; Wm. Gearin, Alexander Fraser, Alex. McClenchy, Leslie McMann, P. A. Dunn, J. H. Willson, James Battle, F. T. Walton, Councillors; John Hawse, Assessor; John Hawse, Collector; Wm T. Fish, Clerk; Robert Dougan, Treasurer.

A by-law for the issue of $6,000 debentures, for consolidating the outstanding indebtedness of the town, was passed August 19th, 1889.

1890.

James Lawson, Mayor; Geo. Turner, Reeve; Wm. Williams, Deputy Reeve; Alex. Fraser, L. McMann, Alex. McClenchy, Wm. Gearin, John Stuart, Wm. McGill, James Battle, John H. Willson, Councillors; John Hawse, Assessor; John Hawse, Collector; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk; Robert Dougan, Treasurer.

A by-law to authorize the issue of $7,000 debentures to consolidate the outstanding indebtedness and meet current expenses, was passed May 31st, 1890.

A by-law for licensing, regulating and governing transient traders, was passed May 31st, 1890.

1891.

George Turner, Mayor; Wm. Williams, Reeve; Jas. Battle, Deputy Reeve; Alex. Fraser, Wm. Gearin, Geo. Mable, Wm. Boyle, A. E. Ripley, Charles Haist, Alex. McClenchy, John Stuart,

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For Thorold Town, 1892 :

Deputy Reeve—James Battle.

Councillors ; John Hawse Assessor ; John Hawse, Collector ; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk; Robt. Dougan, Treasurer.

1892.

Geo. Turner, Mayor ; Wm. Williams, Reeve ; Samuel Campbell, Wm. Cave, Alex. Fraser, Wm. Boyle ; John H. Willson, John Stuart, Charles Haist, Wm. Gearin, Councillors ; John Hawse, John Heenan, Assessors ; John Hawse, Collector ; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk ; Robert Dougan, Treasurer.

1893.

Wm. Williams, Mayor ; Jas. Battle, Reeve ; A. E. Ripley, Deputy Reeve ; Wm. Boyle, Geo. Turner, Alex. Fraser, Samuel Campbell, James Bye, Thos. Madill, John H. Willson, Geo. E. McArthur, Councillors ; John Hawse, Assessor ; Wm. T. Fish, Clerk ; Robert Dougan, Treasurer.

WAINFLEET.

1850.

John B. O'Reilly, Reeve ; Hiram Willson, Leonard Misener, Jeremiah Forrester, John Graybiel, Councillors ; Edward Lee, Clerk ; Edward Lee, Treasurer ; Michael Graybiel, Assessor ; Edward Lee ; Collector.

1851.

John Graybiel, Reeve ; John B. O'Reilly, Jacob Misener, Stephen Willson, Samuel Graybiel, Councillors ; Lemuel S. Yokom, Clerk ; Edward Lee, Treasurer ; Leonard Misener, Assessor ; Edward Lee, Collector.

1852.

John Graybiel, Reeve ; Jacob Misener, Samuel Barrick, Silas S. Hagar, Joseph Priestman, Councillors ; Lemuel S. Yokom, Clerk ; Michael Graybiel, Treasurer ; John B. O'Reilly, Assessor ; Charles Park, Collector.

1853.

John Graybiel, Reeve ; Jesse Henry, Hiram Willson, Edward Lee, John B. O'Reilly, Councillors ; Lemuel S. Yokom, Clerk ;

Michael Graybiel, Treasurer; Alvirus Gleason, Assessor; Joseph Priestman, Collector.

1854.

John Graybiel, Reeve; John B. O'Reilly, Jesse Henry, Joseph Priestman, Mathias Zavitz, Councillors; Lemuel S. Yokom, Clerk; Michael Graybiel, Treasurer; Gavin Robertson, Assessor; Charles Park, Collector.

1855.

Jacob Misener, Reeve; John B. O'Reilly, Joseph Priestman, Edward Lee, John Graybiel, Councillors; Lemuel S. Yokom, Clerk; Michael Graybiel, Treasurer; Alvirus Gleason, Assessor; William Dunn, Collector.

1856.

Jacob Misener, Reeve; Edward Lee, John Graybiel, Silas S. Hagar, William Dunn, Councillors; Lemuel S. Yokom, Clerk; Michael Graybiel, Treasurer; Robert Crane, Assessor; Leonard Misener, Collector.

1857.

Jacob Misener, Reeve; William Dunn, Edward Lee, Joseph Priestman, John B. O'Reilly, Councillors; Lemuel S. Yokom, Clerk; Michael Graybeil, Treasurer; John H. Bradshaw, Assessor; Hiram Willson, Collector.

1858.

Edward Lee, Reeve; John B. O'Reilly, William Dunn, Joseph Priestman, John Graybiel, Sr., Councillors; Lemuel S. Yokom, Clerk; Michael Graybiel, Treasurer; Hiram Willson, Assessor; Charles Park, Collector.

1859.

Edward Lee, Reeve; Leonard Misener, Samuel Holmes, Michael Wills, Sylvanius Furry, Councillors; Lemuel S. Yokom, Clerk; Michael Graybiel, Treasurer; Abram Chapman, Assessor; John B. O'Reilly, Collector.

1860.

Edward Lee, Reeve; Samuel Holmes, Wm. Dunn, Michael Wills, Wm. Fares, Councillors; John B. O'Reilly,

Clerk ; Michael Graybiel, Treasurer ; Abram Chapman, Assessor ; Freeman C. Zavitz, Collector.

1861.

Edward Lee, Reeve ; Samuel Holmes, Michael Wills, Ephraim Morgan, Joseph Priestman, Councillors ; John B. O'Reilly, Clerk ; Michael Graybiel, Treasurer ; Robert Crane, Assessor ; Alexander Lattimore, Collector.

1862.

Edward Lee, Reeve ; Wm. Dunn, Michael Wills, Ephraim Morgan, Gavin Robertson, Councillors ; John B. O'Reilly, Clerk ; Michael Graybiel, Treasurer ; Alvirus Gleason, Assessor ; Robert Crane, Collector.

1863.

Edward Lee, Reeve ; Wm. Dunn, Michael Wills, Ephraim Morgan, Gavin Robertson, Councillors ; John B. O'Reilly, Clerk ; Alexander Lattimore, Treasurer ; Jacob Misener, Assessor ; John Misener, Collector.

1864.

Edward Lee, Reeve ; Wm. Dunn, Ephraim Morgan, Wm. Phillips, John S. Heaslip, Councillors ; John B. O'Reilly, Clerk ; Alexander Lattimore, Treasurer ; Burton Minor, Assessor ; Robert Crane, Collector.

1865.

Edward Lee, Reeve ; Wm. Phillips, James Gilmore, John S. Heaslip, Ephraim Morgan, Councillors ; John B. O'Reilly, Clerk ; John Misener, Treasurer ; Robert Crane, Assessor ; Joseph Simpson, Collector.

1866.

Edward Lee, Reeve ; Wm. Phillips, James Gilmore, John S. Heaslip, Ephraim Morgan, Councillors ; John B. O'Reilly, Clerk ; John Misener, Treasurer ; John Henderson, Assessor ; John Gilmore, Collector.

1867.

Edward Lee, Reeve ; Wm. Phillips, Ephraim Morgan, Gavin

Robertson, Joseph Priestman, Councillors ; John B. O'Reilly, Clerk; John Misener, Treasurer; Jacob Misener, Assessor ; Wm. Fares, Collector.

1868.

Edward Lee, Reeve ; Alexander Lattimore, Deputy Reeve ; Wm. Phillips, Jacob Schwoob, John Ott, Councillors ; John B. O'Reilly, Clerk ; A. W. Haun, Treasurer ; S. S. Hagar, Assessor ; John Misener, Collector.

1869.

Edward Lee, Reeve ; Alexander Lattimore, Deputy Reeve ; Wm. Phillips, Ephraim Morgan, Jacob Schwoob, Councillors ; John B. O'Reilly, Clerk ; A. W. Haun, Treasurer ; Alvirus Gleason, Assessor ; Joseph Simpson, Collector.

1870.

Edward Lee, Reeve ; Alexander Lattimore, Deputy Reeve ; Wm. Phillips, John Priestman, Jacob Schwoob, Councillors ; John B. O'Reilly, Clerk ; A. W. Haun, Treasurer ; Robert A. Campbell, Assessor ; Joseph Simpson, Collector.

1871.

Edward Lee, Reeve ; Alexander Lattimore, Deputy Reeve ; Ephraim Morgan, Geo. Wills, — Young, Councillors ; John B. O'Reilly, Clerk ; A. W. Haun, Treasurer ; Alvirus Gleason, Assessor ; Joseph Simpson, Collector.

1872.

Edward Lee, Reeve ; Alexander Lattimore, Deputy Reeve ; Epraim Morgan, Geo. Wills, James Rice, Councillors ; John B. O'Reilly, Clerk ; A. W. Haun, Treasurer ; John Gilmore, Assessor ; A. W. Haun, Collector.

1873.

Edward Lee, Reeve ; Alexander Lattimore, Deputy Reeve ; Ephraim Morgan, Geo. Wills, James Rice, Councillors ; John B. O'Reilly, Clerk ; A. W. Haun, Treasurer ; John Gilmore, Assessor ; A. W. Haun, Collector.

1874.

Edward Lee, Reeve ; Alexander Lattimore, Deputy Reeve ;

Ephraim Morgan, Geo. Wills, David C. Killins, Councillors ; John B. O'Reilly, Clerk ; Robert Crane, Treasurer ; John Gilmore, Assessor ; John Mawhinney, Collector.

1875.

Edward Lee, Reeve ; Alexander Lattimore, Deputy Reeve ; Geo. Wills, David C. Killins, A. R. Minor, Councillors ; John B. O'Reilly, Clerk ; Robert Crane, Treasurer ; John Gilmore, Assessor ; Robert Simpson, Collector.

1876.

Edward Lee, Reeve ; Alexander Lattimore, Deputy Reeve ; Geo. Wills, A. R. Minor, James Rice, Councillors ; John B. O'Reilly, Clerk ; Robert Crane, Treasurer ; John Gilmore, Assessor ; Robert Simpson, Collector.

1877.

Edward Lee, Reeve ; Alexander Lattimore, Deputy Reeve ; Geo. Wills, A. R. Minor, James Rice, Councillors ; John B. O'Reilly, Clerk ; Robert Crane, Treasurer ; John Gilmore, Assessor ; Daniel Wills, Collector.

1878.

Edward Lee, Reeve ; Alexander Lattimore, Deputy Reeve ; Geo. Wills, A. R. Minor, James Rice, Councillors ; Robert Crane, Treasurer ; John Henderson, Clerk ; John Gilmore, Assessor ; A. Silverthorn, Collector.

1879.

Edward Lee, Reeve ; Alexander Lattimore, Deputy Reeve ; Geo. Wills, A. R. Minor, James Rice, Councillors ; John Henderson, Clerk ; Robert Crane, Treasurer ; John Gilmore, Assessor ; Joseph Simpson, Collector.

1880.

Edward Lee, Reeve ; John Misener, Deputy Reeve ; A. R. Minor, John Mawhinney, Abram Angle, Councillors ; John Henderson, Clerk ; Robert Crane, Treasurer ; John Gilmore, Assessor ; Charles Henderson, Collector.

1881.

Edward Lee, Reeve; John Misener, Deputy Reeve; A. R. Minor, John Mawhinney, Abram Angle, Councillors; John Henderson, Clerk; Robert Crane, Treasurer; Joseph Simpson, Assessor; Charles Henderson, Collector.

1882.

Edward Lee, Reeve; John Misener, Deputy Reeve; A. R. Minor, John Mawhinney, Abram Angle, Councillors; John Henderson, Clerk; Robert Crane, Treasurer; Joseph Simpson, Assessor; Charles Henderson, Collector.

1883.

John Misener, Reeve; John Mawhinney, Deputy Reeve; A. R. Minor, John E. Cohoe, E. F. Palmer, Councillors; John Henderson, Clerk; Edward Lee, Treasurer; Joseph Simpson, Assessor; John Gilmore, Collector.

1884.

John Misener, Reeve; John Mawhinney, Deputy Reeve; A. R. Minor, John E. Cohoe, E. F. Palmer, Councillors; John Henderson, Clerk; Edward Lee, Treasurer; H. B. Zavitz, Assessor; John Gilmore, Collector.

1885.

Wm. Brown, Reeve; John Mawhinney, Deputy Reeve; A. R. Minor, John E. Cohoe, E. F. Palmer, Councillors; Edward Lee, Treasurer; John Henderson, Clerk; Joseph Simpson, Assessor; Enos Marr, Collector.

1886.

Wm. Brown, Reeve; Harmon N. Willson, Deputy Reeve; John E. Cohoe, Robert Chambers, Elliot Henderson, Councillors; John Henderson, Clerk; Edward Lee, Treasurer; Joseph Simpson, Assessor; Enos Marr, Collector.

1887.

Wm. Brown, Reeve; H. N. Willson, Deputy Reeve; Robert Chambers, Wm. Wills, Paul Shafley, Councillors; John Henderson, Clerk; A. B. McLean, Treasurer; Joseph Simpson, Assessor; H. B. Zavitz, Collector.

1888.

Wm. Brown, Reeve; H. N. Willson, Deputy Reeve; Paul Shafley, Wm. Wills, B. F. Canby, Councillors; John Henderson, Clerk; A. B. McLean, Treasurer; A. R. Minor, Assessor; John W. Swayze, Collector.

1889.

Wm. Brown, Reeve; H. N. Willson, Deputy Reeve; B. F. Canby, Wm. Wills, Paul Shafley, Councillors; John Henderson, Clerk; A. B. McLean, Treasurer; John Gilmore, Assessor; Jos. H. Glaves, Collector.

1890.

Wm. Brown, Reeve; H. N. Willson, Deputy Reeve; B. F. Canby, Paul Shafley, E. F. Palmer, Councillors; John Henderson, Clerk; A. B. McLean, Treasurer; A. R. Minor, Assessor; Vernon H. Robinson, Collector.

1891.

Wm. Brown, Reeve; B. F. Canby, Deputy Reeve; John E. Cohoe, John G. Wills, E. F. Palmer, Councillors; John Henderson, Clerk; A. B. McLean, Treasurer; A. R. Minor, Assessor; N. Shafley, Collector.

1892.

Wm. Brown, Reeve; B. F. Canby, Deputy Reeve; Paul Shafley, John E. Cohoe, Frank Misener, Councillors; John Henderson, Clerk; A. B. McLean, Treasurer; H. B. Zavitz, Assessor; Chas. Haun, Collector.

1893.

Frank E. Misener, Reeve; Edmund Barrick, Deputy Reeve; John E. Cohoe, John Mains, Robert Chambers, Councillors; John Henderson, Clerk; A. B. McLean, Treasurer; A. R. Minor, Assessor.

Wainfleet By-Laws.

274.—To prevent obstruction of drains—25th May, 1886.

277.—Respecting public morals—25th August, 1886.

294.—To restrain cattle, &c., from running at large—27th April, 1888.

295.—To define duties of overseers of highways—5th May, 1888.

296.—To fix amount of commutation tax for teams, &c.—5th May, 1888.

300.—To establish fees of poundkeepers and fence viewers—15th December, 1888.

301.—To encourage planting of trees—21st January, 1889.

302.—To define height, &c., of a lawful fence—15th February, 1889.

303.—To set apart a portion of the highway for footpaths—21st January, 1889.

304.—To prevent the spread of noxious weeds.

305.—Respecting line fences.

WELLAND.

Incorporated as a Village, July 24th, 1858.

The officers elected and appointed for the several years are as follows :

1858.

D. McCaw, Reeve ; M. Betts, Wm. A. Bald, Chester Demare, N. T. Fish, A. K. Scholfield, Councillors ; E. R. Hellems, Clerk ; Enoch Shrigley, Treasurer ; Alex. B. Chapman, Collector.

1859.

John Hellems, Reeve ; Wm. A. Bald, Moses Betts, D. McCaw, A. K. Scholfield, Councillors ; E. R. Hellems, Clerk ; Enoch Shrigley, Treasurer ; Thomas Burgar, Assessor ; Thomas Burgar, Collector.

1860.

John Hellems, Reeve ; Wm. A. Bald, Moses Betts, A. K. Scholfield, D. McCaw, Councillors; E. R. Hellems, Clerk ; Enoch Shrigley, Treasurer ; A. L. Haun, Assessor ; Jacob Taylor, Collector.

1861.

T. W. Hooker, Reeve ; Moses Betts, Wm. A. Bald, C. Demare, R. Morwood, Councillors ; Wm. Page, Clerk ; Enoch Shrigley, Treasurer ; A. L. Haun, Assessor ; Jacob Taylor, Collector.

1862.

Wm. A. Bald, Reeve; T. W. Hooker, R. Morwood, J. Dunigan, M. Betts, Councillors; Wm. Page, Clerk; N. T. Fitch, A. B. Chapman, Assessors; Jacob Taylor, Collector; Enoch Shrigley, Treasurer.

1863.

R. Morwood, Reeve; Wm. A. Bald, Moses Betts, J. Dunigan, T. W. Hooker, Councillors; Wm. Page, Clerk; Enoch Shrigley, Treasurer; A. B. Chapman, Assessor; Jacob Taylor, Collector.

1864.

Wm. A. Bald, Reeve; D. Cooper, T. W. Hooker, D. McCaw, R. Morwood, Councillors; Wm. Page, Clerk; Enoch Shrigley, Treasurer; A. B. Chapman, Assessor; Jesse Stoner, Collector.

1865.

Moses Betts, Reeve; R. Morwood, H. A. Rose, A. Hendershot, H. Dunn, Councillors; Wm. Page, Clerk; Enoch Shrigley, Treasurer; Wm. A. Bald, Assessor; E. Hoover, Collector.

1866.

T. W. Hooker, Reeve; Elias Hoover, A. W. Cosby, W. N. Garden, S. Lamont, Councillors; Wm. Page, Clerk; Enoch Shrigley, Treasurer; Wm. A. Bald, Assessor; Thomas Burgar, Collector.

1867.

Moses, Betts, Reeve; Elias Hoover, D. McCaw, R. Morwood, W. N. Garden, Councillors; Wm. Page, Clerk; Enoch Shrigley, Treasurer; J. S. Chipman, Assessor; Wm. A. Bald, Collector.

1868.

T. W. Hooker, Reeve; P. Brown, James Griffith, D. McCaw, E. Hoover, Councillors; Wm. Page, Clerk; Enoch Shrigley, Treasurer; Wm. Page, Assessor; Wm. A. Bald, Collector.

1869.

A. G. Hill, Reeve; James Griffith, B. Diffin, R. Lamont, S. Hampton, Councillors; J. J. Sidey, Clerk; Enoch Shrigley, Treasurer; J. S. Chipman, Assessor; Jacob Taylor, Collector.

1870.

Moses Betts, Reeve; J. Griffith, A. Hendershot, A. K. Vanwyck, J. Lemon, Councillors; E. R. Hellems, Clerk; Enoch Shrigley, Treasurer; Wm. A. Bald, Assessor; W. A. Thompson, Collector.

1871.

A. G. Hill, Reeve; R. Morwood, O. H. Rounds, G. H. Burgar, R. Lamont, Councillors; E. R. Hellems, Clerk; Enoch Shrigley, Treasurer; S. S. Hagar, Assessor; W. A. Thompson, Collector.

1872.

A. G. Hill, Reeve; R. Morwood, A. Hendershot, S. Hampton, O. H. Rounds, Councillors; E. R. Hellems, Clerk; Enoch Shrigley, Treasurer; S. S. Hagar, Assessor; S. S. Hagar, Collector.

1873.

A. G. Hill, Reeve; T. W. Hooker, R. Morwood, D. McCaw, J. H. Price, Councillors; E. R. Hellems, Clerk; Enoch Shrigley, Treasurer; Wm. A. Bald, Assessor; Wm. A. Bald, Collector.

1874.

J. H. Price, Reeve; G. H. Burgar, T. Cumines, D. McEwing, R. Morwood, Councillors; E. R. Hellems, Clerk; H. D. Lock, Treasurer; Wm. A. Bald, Assessor; R. Lamont, Collector.

1875.

J. H. Price, Reeve; J. Dunigan, A. Williams, G. H. Burgar, D. McEwing, Councillors; E. R. Hellems, Clerk; H. D. Lock, Treasurer; F. Swayze, Assessor; R. Lamont, Collector.

1876.

A. Hendershot, Reeve; J. Griffith, W. Hill, W. D. Jeffrey, S. Lamont, Councillors; E. R. Hellems, Clerk; H. D. Lock, Treasurer; F. Swayze, Assessor; R. Lamont, Collector.

1877.

A. Hendershot, Reeve; T. W. Hooker, S. Lamont, Wm. Page, J. J. Sidey, Councillors; E. R. Hellems, Clerk; H. D. Lock, Treasurer; T. Cumines, Assessor; E. H. Burgar, Collector.

1878.

A. Hendershot, Mayor ; A. Williams, Reeve ; G. H. Burgar, S. Hampton, D. McConachie, A. Asher, J. V. Strawn, G. Cronmiller, W. D. Jeffrey, J. Tuckey, G. Stalker, W. L. Beatty, D. A. Johnson, Wm. Page, Councillors ; E. R. Hellems, Clerk ; H. D. Lock, Treasurer ; T. Cumines, Assessor ; E. H. Burgar, Collector.

1879.

F. Swayze, Mayor ; T. W. Hooker, Reeve ; J. H. Burgar, Deputy Reeve ; E. Box, C. J. Page, Chas. Stewart, R. Morwood, J. R. McCollom, A. Robinson, J. Tuckey, F. O. White, F. Ott, Wm. Beatty, Wm. Hill, D. A. Johnson, Councillors ; E. R. Hellems, Clerk ; H. D. Lock, Treasurer ; John W. Tobin, Assessor ; E. H. Burgar, Collector.

1880.

F. Swayze, Mayor ; T. W. Hooker, Reeve ; J. H. Burgar, Deputy Reeve ; G. H. Burgar, E. Box, J. Appleyard, A. Robinson, R. Morwood, A. Asher, R. A. Campbell, Jas. Tuckey, H. W. Hobson, F. M. Hagar, D. A. Johnson, W. L. Beatty, Councillors ; E. R. Hellems, Clerk ; H. D. Lock, Treasurer ; E. H. Burgar, Assessor ; Wm. A. Bald, Collector.

1881.

R. Morwood, Mayor ; J. H. Burgar, Reeve ; D. A. Johnson, Deputy Reeve ; M. S. Bradt, J. Appleyard, E. Box, W. E. Teskey, J. R. McCollom, E. Holder, H. A. Rose, A. E. White, G. Stalker, F. M. Hagar, J. Richardson, D. Ross, Councillors ; E. R. Hellems, Clerk ; H. D. Lock, Treasurer ; Wm. A. Bald, Assessor ; Wm. A. Bald, Collector.

1882.

S. Lamont, Mayor ; J. H. Burgar, Reeve ; G. L. Hobson, Deputy Reeve ; David Ross, E. A. Sauter, J. A. Gilchriese, H. Griffith, E. Holder, George Cronmiller, Michael McAuliff, M. Vanderburgh, Geo. Stalker, John Richardson, T. R. Secord, E. O. Rounds, Councillors ; E. R. Hellems, Clerk ; H. D. Lock, Treasurer ; E. H. Burgar, Assessor ; John Shea, Collector.

1883.

R. Morwood, Mayor; T. W. Hooker, Reeve; H. Griffith, Deputy Reeve; David Ross, J. A. Gilchriese, E. A. Sauter, Adam Young, Jno. Appleyard, R. H. Dyer, W. B. Chambers, Jas. Hodges, M. Vanderburgh, John Phelps, John Richardson, Alexander Robertson, Councillors; E. R. Hellems, Clerk; H. D. Lock, Treasurer; W. A. Bald, Assessor; D. Johnson, Collector.

1884.

F. Swayze, Mayor; D. A. Johnson, Reeve; H. Griffith, Deputy Reeve; E. Hoover, E. A. Sauter, Joseph McCollom, H. Minnis, William Stanton, Adam Young, H. Schumacher, James Hodges, M. Vanderburgh, H. W. Hobson, Joseph Phelps, John Richardson, Councillors; E. R. Hellems, Clerk; H. D. Lock, Treasurer; E. H. Burgar, Assessor; B. Schooley, Collector.

1885.

W. D. Jeffrey, Mayor; H. Griffith, Reeve; G. L. Hobson, Deputy Reeve; E. Hoover, E. A. Sauter, P. McMurray, Henry Minnis, R. Morwood, Jas. Blackwell, M. Vanderburgh, George Stalker, J. F. Gross, John Richardson, L. V. Garner, H. L. Beatty, Councillors; E. R. Hellems, Clerk; H. D. Lock, Treasurer; J. E. Baxter, Assessor; B. Schooley, Collector.

1886.

R. Morwood, Mayor; G. L. Hobson, Reeve; J. H. Burgar, Deputy Reeve; J. McCaw, E. Hoover, W. N. Current, Henry Minnis, Charles Asher, Adam Young, J. H. Hodges, W. A. Bald, M. Vanderburgh, W. G. Somerville, Robert Cooper, David Ross, Councillors; E. R. Hellems, Clerk; H. D. Lock, Treasurer; E. Box, Assessor; E. Box, Collector.

1887.

R. Morwood, Mayor; John Richardson, Reeve; J. H. Burgar, Deputy Reeve; John McCaw, W. N. Current, George H. Burgar, Henry Minnis, Adam Young, Charles Asher, J. H. Hodges, J. F. Gross, George Stalker, David Ross, Robert Cooper, W. G. Somer-

ville, Councillors ; E. R. Hellems, Clerk ; H. D. Lock, Treasurer ; E. Box, Assessor ; E. Box, Collector.

1888.

D. Ross, Mayor ; J. H. Burgar, Reeve ; G. L. Hobson, Deputy Reeve ; G. H. Burgar, W. N. Current, John McCaw, R. Morwood, Charles Asher, W. H. Lowe, J. F. Gross, E. H. Burgar, H. Schumacher, Robert Cooper, H. Beatty, S. J. Sidey, Councillors ; E. R. Hellems, Clerk ; H. D. Lock, Treasurer ; E. Box, Assessor ; E. Box, Collector.

1889.

D. Ross, Mayor ; J. H. Burgar, Reeve ; G. L. Hobson, Deputy Reeve ; G. H. Burgar, W. N. Current, W. J. Best, R. Morwood, Henry Minnis, Charles Asher, E. H. Burgar, H. Schumacher, D. D. Hooker, W. Balfour, Robert Cooper, H. L. Beatty, Councillors ; E. R. Hellems, Clerk ; H. D. Lock, Treasurer ; E. Box, Assessor ; E. Box, Collector.

1890.

D. Ross, Mayor ; G. L. Hobson, Reeve ; W. M. German, Deputy Reeve ; G. H. Burgar, W. J. Best, W. N. Current, R. Morwood, W. L. Rice, W. H. Lowe, D. D. Hooker, H. A. Rose, C. H. Reilly, H. L. Beatty, R. Cooper, H. H. Shotwell, Councillors ; E. R. Hellems, Clerk ; H. D. Lock, Treasurer ; E. Box, Assessor ; E. Box, Collector.

1891.

Thos. F. Brown, Mayor ; G. L. Hobson, Reeve ; Robt. Cooper, Deputy Reeve ; W. J. Best, D. Ross, W. N. Current, S. H. Glasgow, W. H. Lowe, R. Morwood, A. E. Taylor, C. H. Reilly, George Stalker, F. Swayze, H. H. Shotwell, John Richardson, Councillors ; E. R. Hellems, Clerk ; H. D. Lock, Treasurer ; E. Box, Assessor ; E. Box, Collector.

In this year, in June, Messrs. G. L. Hobson and R. Cooper were appointed County Treasurer and County Clerk respectively, and J. H. Hodges was elected Reeve and S. J. Sidey Deputy Reeve, to fill the vacancies.

1892.

T. F. Brown, Mayor; J. H. Hodges, Reeve; S. J. Sidey, Deputy Reeve; G. H. Burgar, W. J. Best, D. Ross, W. H. Lowe, R. Morwood, A. Hendershot, A. E. Taylor, George Stalker, C. H. Reilly, A. Robertson, W. G. Somerville, F. Swayze, Councillors; E. R. Hellems, Clerk; H. D. Lock, Treasurer; E. Box, Assessor; E. Box, Collector.

F. Swayze died during the year, and John Richardson was elected to fill the vacancy.

1893.

G. H. Burgar, Mayor; S. J. Sidey, Reeve; Alex. Griffith, Deputy Reeve; W. J. Best, L. H. Pursel, Geo. Cronmiller, J. H. Burgar, W. L. Rice, R. Morwood, A. E. Taylor, C. H. Reilly, Geo. Stalker, D. Ross, Geo. Sutherland, W. G. Somerville, Councillors; E. R. Hellems, Clerk; H. D. Lock, Treasurer; E. Box, Assessor; E. Box, Collector.

R. Morwood died during the year, and J. W. Dawdy was elected to fill the vacancy.

WILLOUGHBY.

1843.

Robert Cummings, Clerk; Martin Dell, Assessor; John Lemon, Jr., Collector; James Cummings, District Councillor.

1844.

Robert Cummings, Clerk; Martin Dell, Assessor; John Lemon, Jr., Collector; Rev'd. Charles Fletcher, School Superintendent; James Cummings elected as District Councillor by 41 votes, to 10 for Douglas Stevenson.

1845.

Charles Fell, Clerk; Martin Dell, Assessor; John Lemon, Jr., Collector; James Cummings, District Councillor.

1846.

Chas. Fell, Clerk ; James Dell, Jr., Assessor ; John Lemon, Jr., Collector ; James Cummings, Councillor.

1847.

Chas. Fell, Clerk and Assessor ; John Lemon, Jr., Collector ; John Dobbie, Councillor ; James H. Cummings, Martin Dell, Wm. Forsyth, Wardens.

1848.

Chas. Fell, Clerk ; David Davis, Assessor ; John Lemon, Jr., Collector ; Adoram Dell, John Critz, Henry Miller, Wardens ; John Dobbie, Councillor.

1849.

Chas. Fell, Clerk and Assessor ; John Lemon, Jr., Collector ; Wm. Forsyth, Nicholas Willick, Henry Fitch, Wardens ; John Dobbie, Councillor.

1850.

John Ussher, Reeve ; John Dobbie, John Wells, James Dell, Michael Detenbeck, Councillors ; H. D. Colclough, Clerk—resigned May 4th, succeeded by Thos. Wilkinson ; John Lemon, Michael Gander, Jacob Lemon, Assessors ; Geo. Gander, Collector ; Martin Dell, Treasurer.

1851.

John Dobbie, Reeve ; John Wells, Michael D. Gander, David Davis, John Critz, Councillors ; Thomas Wilkinson, Clerk ; Martin Dell, Treasurer ; Geo. Gander, Jacob Lemon, Henry Dell, Assessors ; Joshua Ferris, Collector.

1852.

John S. Atwood, Reeve ; John Wells, John Ussher, John Dobbie, Nicholas Willox, Councillors ; Thos. Wilkinson, Clerk ; M. D. Gander, Thos. McCredie, Alex. McGeorge, Assessors ; David Davis, Collector.

It was moved that "the agency of the Bank of Upper Canada at Chippawa be Treasurer."—Yeas, Ussher, Wells and Willox ; nay, Dobbie.

15th February.—It was moved by Dobbie, seconded by Wells, "that there be a Treasurer appointed within the limits of this municipality," and this resolution was carried by the casting vote of the Reeve.

September 4th.—John Dobbie resigned as Councillor, and was appointed Clerk.

1853.

Michael D. Gander, Reeve; John Ussher, Nicholas Willox, John Wells, M. Sour, Councillors. John Wells resigned, and was succeeded by Jas. Graham, elected on February 1st. John Dobbie, Clerk; Jonathan Slater, Peter Pickhart, Assessors; Archibald Dobbie, succeeded by Jonathan Slater, Collector.

1854.

Jas. Dell, Reeve; John Wells, David Davis, Jas. Graham, Wm. Morrison, Councillors; John Dobbie, Clerk; John Lemon, Assessor; Obed Dell, Collector.

The question of the right of the Ebenezer Society to maintain a Separate school was considered.

1855.

Jas. Dell, Reeve; David Davis, Daniel Lamberton, Wm. Greenwood, Peter Nigh, Councillors; John Dobbie, Clerk; Jonathan Slater, Henry Taylor, Assessors.

1856.

Daniel Lamberton, Reeve; Wm. Greenwood, Wm. Burd, Nicholas Willox, C. Hershey, Councillors; John Dobbie, Clerk and Treasurer; Alex. McGeorge, Wm. Hathaway, Abram Saylor, Assessors; Jonathan Slater, Collector.

1857.

Daniel Lamberton, Reeve; Nicholas Willox, Herbert Lee, Levi Waite, Obediah Dell, Councillors; John Dobbie, Clerk and Treasurer; Geo. Gander, Jacob Lemon, Assessors; Jonathan Slater, Collector.

1858.

John Ussher, Reeve; Daniel Lamberton, Levi Waite, J. Mc-

Ewen, Wm. Hathaway, Councillors ; John Dobbie, Clerk and Treasurer ; John Wells, Wm. Greenwood, Assessors.

1859.

Daniel Lamberton, Reeve ; Levi Waite, Jos. McEwen, Wm. Hathaway, N. Willox, Councillors ; John Smith, Clerk ; Elijah Shainholdts, Treasurer ; Wm. Marshall, Collector ; H. J. Beam, Assessor.

1860.

Daniel Lamberton, Reeve ; N. Willox, Jas. McEwen, Levi Waite, John Dobbie, Councillors ; John Smith, Clerk ; E. Shainholdts, Treasurer ; H. J. Beam, Assessor ; Thos. Glenny, Collector.

1861.

Jas. McGlashan, Reeve ; I. H. Allen, John Dobbie, N. Willick, Joseph Durliat, Councillors ; John Smith, Clerk ; E. Shainholdts, Treasurer ; Levi Waite, Assessor ; D. Lamberton, Collector.

1862.

Jas. McGlashan, Reeve ; N. Willick, Joseph Durliat, Jas McEwen, Elias Sherk, Councillors ; John Smith, Clerk ; E. Shainholdts, Treasurer ; Jacob Lemon, Assessor.

1863.

James McGlashan, Reeve ; N. Willox, Andrew Simpson, Levi Waite, Francis Wells, Councillors ; John Smith, Clerk ; E. Shainholdts, Treasurer ; Thos. Smith, Assessor.

1864.

Jas. McGlashan, Reeve ; N. Willox, Henry Baker, Joseph Durliat, Alex. McGeorge, Councillors ; John Smith, Clerk ; E. Shainholdts, Treasurer ; Jacob Lemon, Assessor.

1865.

Jas. McGlashan, Reeve ; N. Willick, Henry Baker, Michael Sauer, Alex. McGeorge, Councillors ; John Smith, Clerk ; E. Shainholdts, Treasurer ; Levi Waite, Assessor.

Jas. McGlashan resigned 17th June ; N. Willick elected Reeve, and Wm. Marshall elected Councillor, to fill vacancies.

1866.

Wm. Marshall, Reeve ; N. Willick, Henry Baker, John Dobbie,

Francis Wells, Councillors; John Smith, Clerk; E. Shainholdts, Treasurer; Edwin M. Atwood, Assessor; Wm. F. Wallace, Collector.

1867.

Wm. Marshall, Reeve; Francis Wells, N. Willick, John Morningstar, Henry Baker, Councillors; John Smith, Clerk; E. Shainholdts, Treasurer; Jas. McEwen, Assessor; Jacob Morningstar, Collector.

1868.

Wm. Marshall, Reeve; Francis Wells, Henry Baker, John Morningstar, N. Willick, Councillors; John Smith, Clerk; E. Shainholdts, Treasurer, who resigned but his resignation was not accepted; E. M. Atwood, Assessor; Jacob Morningstar, Collector.

1869.

Wm. Marshall, Reeve; F. Wells, N. Willick, John Morningstar, Henry Baker, Councillors; John Smith, Clerk; E. Shainholdts, Treasurer; James Smith, Assessor; Philip Morningstar, Collector.

1870.

Jonathan Slater, Reeve; Peter Snider, John Morningstar, Geo. Cronmiller, Michael Barnhard, Councillors; John Smith, Clerk; E. Shainholdts, Treasurer, who resigned 6th July, when Geo. Weaver was appointed; Levi Waite, Assessor; Philip Morningstar, Collector.

1871.

Wm. Marshall, Reeve; John Morningstar, N. Willick, Jacob Lemon, Peter Snider, Councillors; John Smith, Clerk; George Weaver, Treasurer, succeeded by Nicholas Myer, appointed Treasurer on 25th February; Levi Waite, Assessor; Jacob Morningstar, Collector.

1872.

Wm. Marshall, Reeve; John Shabel, N. Willick, Peter Snider, John Morningstar, Councillors; John Smith, Clerk; Nicholas Myer, Treasurer; Levi Waite, Assessor,—on his death Jacob Lemon was appointed, 24th February; Joseph House, Collector.

1873.

James Smith, Reeve; John Shabel, Geo Cronmiller, Everard

McCredie, Nicholas Plyly, Councillors ; John Smith, Clerk ; Robt. McCredie, Treasurer ; H. J. Beam, Assessor ; Elijah Shainholdts, Collector.

1874.

Jas. Smith, Reeve ; Philip Morningstar, Geo. Cronmiller, Peter Snider, Everard McCredie, Councillors ; John Smith, Clerk ; Robt. McCredie, Treasurer ; Peter Hathaway, Assessor ; Jacob Morningstar, Collector.

1875.

Jas. Smith, Reeve ; Geo. Detenbeck, Philip Morningstar, John Morningstar, N. Willick, Councillors ; John Smith, Clerk ; R. McCredie, Treasurer ; E. M. Atwood, Assessor ; Jonathan Slater, Collector.

1876.

Philip Morningstar, Reeve ; Geo. Detenbeck, John Morningstar, Henry E. Dell, Nicholas Plyly, Councillors ; John Smith, Clerk ; R. McCredie, Treasurer ; David Morningstar, Assessor ; Albert E. Dell, Collector.

1877.

Wm. Marshall, Reeve ; John Morningstar, Nicholas Plyley, Geo. Detenbeck, Henry Baker, Councillors ; John Smith, Clerk ; R. McCredie, Treasurer ; David Morningstar, Assessor ; Diebold Myer, Collector.

1878.

Wm. Marshall, Reeve ; Henry Baker, Wm. McCloy, Nicholas Plyley, John Morningstar, Councillors ; John Smith, Clerk ; R. McCredie, Treasurer ; David Morningstar, Assessor ; Diebold Myer, Collector.

1879.

Jas. Smith, Reeve ; Menno S. Beam, Andrew Simpson, Martin Weaver, David Weiss, Councillors ; John Smith, Clerk ; R. McCredie, Treasurer ; Philip Morningstar, Assessor ; Diebold Myer, Collector.

1880.

Jas. Smith, Reeve ; Menno S. Beam, Henry Baker, Martin B.

Weaver, Andrew Simpson, Councillors ; I. H. Allen, Clerk ; R. McCredie, Treasurer ; Philip Morningstar, Assessor ; D. Myer, Collector.

1881.

Jas. Smith, Reeve ; Henry Baker, Menno Beam, Andrew Simpson, Geo. Weaver, Jr., Councillors ; I. H. Allen, Clerk ; R. McCredie, Treasurer ; Alex. McClive, Assessor ; D. Myer, Collector.

1882.

Jas. Smith, Reeve ; John Baker, Menno S. Beam, Geo. Detenbeck, Henry E. Dell, Councillors ; I. H. Allen, Clerk ; R. McCredie, Treasurer ; H. J. Beam, Assessor ; Philip Morningstar, Collector.

1883.

Michael B. Barnhard, Reeve ; John Baker Chas. Oliver, Geo. Detenbeck, Jacob G. Morningstar, Councillors ; Jas. Smith, Clerk ; David Morningstar, Assessor ; Geo. G. Morningstar, Collector.

1884.

M. B. Barnhard, Reeve ; John Baker, Peter Snider, Jacob Morningstar, Martin Morningstar, Councillors ; James Smith, Clerk ; Jonathan Slater, Assessor ; George G. Morningstar, Collector ; Robt. McCredie, Treasurer.

1885.

M. B. Barnhard, Reeve ; Christian Shabel, John Baker, Fred. Person, Jacob Morningstar, Councillors ; Jas. Smith, Clerk ; Henry Beck, Assessor ; Geo. G. Morningstar, Collector ; Robt. McCredie, Treasurer.

1886.

M. B. Barnhard, Reeve ; Maurice King, John Baker, Jacob Morningstar, Wm. Marshall, Councillors ; Jas. Smith, Clerk ; E. M. Atwood, Assessor ; David Morningstar, Collector ; Robt. McCredie, Treasurer.

1887.

M. B. Barnhard, Reeve ; Francis X. Durliat, Maurice King, Menno S. Beam, William Marshall, Councillors ; Jas Smith, Clerk ;

E. M. Atwood, Assessor; David Morningstar, Collector; R. McCredie, Treasurer.

1888.

M. B. Barnhard, Reeve; Martin B. Weaver, Maurice King, William Marshall, F. X. Durliat, Councillors; James Smith, Clerk; Albert E. Dell, Assessor; Albion T. Waite, Collector; R. McCredie, Treasurer.

1889.

M. B. Barnhard, Reeve; Stewart Black, Martin B. Weaver, Maurice King, Henry Baker, Councillors; Horace H. Beam, Clerk; Francis X. Durliat, Assessor; Samuel Sauer, Collector; R. McCredie, Treasurer.

1890.

M. B. Barnhard, Reeve; Samuel Baker, James McCredie, Martin B. Weaver, Maurice King, Councillors; H. H. Beam, Clerk; F. X. Durliat, Assessor; David Morningstar, Collector; R. McCredie, Treasurer.

1891.

M. B. Barnhard, Reeve; James McCredie, Benjamin Heximer, Adam Weaver, Samuel Sauer, Councillors; H. H. Beam, Clerk; E. M. Atwood, Assessor; Alonzo Dell, Collector; R. McCredie, Treasurer.

1892.

M. B. Barnhard, Reeve; Samuel Sauer, Adam Weaver, Benjamin Heximer, Samuel Baker, Councillors; H. H. Beam, Clerk; Welland W. Dell, Assessor; Alonzo Dell, Collector; R. McCredie, Treasurer.

Mr. Baker died April 1st; Charles Oliver was elected to fill vacancy.

1893.

M. B. Barnhard, Reeve; Adam Weaver, Benjamin Heximer, Diebold Myer, Herbert Dell, Councillors; H. H. Beam, Clerk; Alonzo Dell, Assessor; Robt. McCredie, Treasurer.

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By Laws.

49.—To protect the road allowance on the bank of Niagara river—11th December, 1852.

51.—To license auctioneers, storekeepers, &c.—4th February, 1854.

52.—To prevent dogs, &c., from running at large—13th May, 1854.

103.—Defining standing rules and regulations of the Council—14th February, 1863.

117.—To grant $60 in aid of a demonstration and testimonial to the Welland Field Battery and Dunnville Naval Brigade—22nd September, 1866.

161.—To restrain cattle from running at large—3rd January, 1874.

168.—For draining marsh between lot 11, in 4th concession, and Niagara river—5th December, 1874.

176.—To prevent certain animals from running at large—2nd October, 1875.

177.—Repealing No. 49—30th October, 1875.

THE END.